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IN MEMORIAM.

CLAY—In ever-loving memory of our dear Tommie, who fell in action 25th April, 1918, at Kemmel Hill. "Everywhere whithersoever duty and glory lead the way." R.F.A.
"One less on earth, and here there is parting,
The last sad farewell, and the long empty place;
One more in Heaven, and sweet is the greeting
To those who have reached the calm goal of the race."

BUTLER—In ever-loving memory of William Percy (Jack) Butler, Lance-Corporal, 10th R.D.F., who died of wounds received in action, at Arras, April 24th, 1917; aged 20 years. Buried in the British Cemetery, Agnez-les-Duisans, W.N.W. of Arras.
E'en as he trod that day to God,
So walked he from his birth,
In simpleness and gentleness,
In honour and clean mirth.

CRANWILL—In proud and very loving memory of Captain V. A. Butler Cranwill, M.C., and Battalion East Lancashire Regiment (30th), killed in action, [illegible] April, 1918, at Villers Bretonneux, France, and buried with military honours in the French cemetery, Camon, on 26th idem, aged 25.

HILLAS—In proud memory of Captain Arthure R. E. Hillas, 1/7 Gordon Highlanders, killed, while leading his company in the battle of Arras, 23rd April, 1917.
"Who dies for justice, dies for Christ."
"There is but one task for all—
For each one life to give.
Who stands if freedom fall?
Who dies if England live?"

HUNTER—In ever-loving memory of Ronald Gordon, Second Lieutenant 1st Royal Dublin Fusiliers, second son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter, Baymount, Sutton, County Dublin, who died at Stettin, Germany, 28th April, 1918, from wounds received in action in France on 28th March, 1918, aged 19 years.

JONES—In loving memory of Renard Arthur Jones, Toronto Regiment, 1st Canadian Contingent, fell at St. Julien, Belgium, 24th April, 1915, aged 20 years.

PARKINSON-CUMINE—In proud and ever-loving memory of W. D. Butler Parkinson-Cumine, 1st British Columbia Regiment, who "passed out of the sight of men by the path of duty and self-sacrifice" near Ypres, April 24th, 1915.

POER—In ever-loving memory of Robert P. Beresford Poer, Major, R.F.A., dearly-loved eldest son of G. Beresford Poer and Mrs. Beresford Poer, Ardmore, Co. Waterford, who was killed in action, in France, on April 24th, 1918. "Faithful unto death."

VERSCHOYLE—In proud and loving memory of Francis Stuart Verschoyle, Second Lieutenant, R.E. (Royal Anglesea), who gave his life at the second battle of Ypres, 25th April, 1915; and of his brother, Captain W. A. Verschoyle, 87th Royal Irish Fusiliers, who fell at the battle of Arras, 24th April, 1917.

BIRTH.

COLHOUN—April 20, 1922, at St. Elmo, Londonderry, the wife of Major J. Colhoun, M.C., of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BOWYER and CULVERWELL—April 10, 1922, at St. Michan's Church, Dublin, by the Rev. G. H. Vaughan, M.A., Rector, Alfred Henry, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bowyer, Cabra Park, to Ada Florence, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Culverwell, 5 Grangegorman Villas, North Circular rd.

DOYLE and CANTWELL—April 19, 1922, at St. Columba's, Ballyrack, by the Rev. Fr. O'Donnell, [illegible] Hugh Doyle, [illegible] Mr. Hugh Cooke, [illegible] Park, Rathgar, to [illegible], elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Cantwell, Temple Hill, Killiney, Co. Dublin.

HALL and FOWLE—April 20, 1922, at St. Catherine's, [illegible], by the Rev. [illegible] William Gruber Hall, M.C., Major [illegible], only son of the [illegible] Hall, Esq., [illegible] St. James's [illegible] Tunbridge Wells, [illegible] Charlotte, only daughter of the late Colonel Trenchard Fowle, Castle, [illegible], Co. Cork.

O'FERRALL and ARMSTRONG—April 1[illegible], 1922, at St. James's Church, [illegible] O'Ferrall, [illegible] Armstrong, [illegible] daughter of [illegible] George [illegible] Alexander and Mrs. Armstrong, 36 St. Alban's rd.

WRIGHT and TURNBULL—April 17, 1922, at St. [illegible] Church, Crumlin, by the Rector, Rev. [illegible] son of the late John Wright, [illegible] Dublin, to [illegible] eldest daughter of [illegible] and Mrs. Turnbull, [illegible] Dublin. Canadian papers [illegible].

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received too late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 4.

ASHBY—April 23, 1922, at Dean's Grange House, Monkstown, of double pneumonia, Captain Sydney Ashby, late South Wales Borderers and Administrative Staff. Dearly loved, deeply mourned. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Brigid's Church, Cabinteely, to Dean's Grange, to-morrow (Wednesday) morning at 10.30.

BETHUNE—April 22, 1922, at 36 Barnhill rd., Dalkey, Robert Bethune, loving husband of Douglas Bethune. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. "For ever with the Lord."

CONWAY—April 21, 1922, at his residence, Rehoboth Cottage, Dolphin's Barn, Archibald Conway. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and daughter. Funeral for Mount Jerome, at 10 o'clock, this (Tuesday) morning.

CURTIS—April 21, 1922, at his daughter's residence, 1 Rural tce., West, Kingstown, Robert Curtis, late of Liverpool. "Rock of Ages, cleft for me." Funeral private.

DALY—April 24, 1922, at Munster and Leinster Bank House, Charleville, Co. Cork, John Richard Daly. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) morning from Parish Church.

GRAHAM—April 22, 1922, at Adelaide Hospital, Dublin, Elizabeth Wrixon, beloved wife of Rev. Andrew Graham, Kilronan Vicarage, Carrick-on-Shannon, and second daughter of the late Rev. Thomas Casserley, of Monellan, and of Mrs. Casserley, Eagle House, Dundrum, Co. Dublin. Funeral at Streete, Westmeath, to-morrow (Wednesday), 26th April, at 3 o'clock p.m. (summer time).

GRAHAM—April 22, 1922, at Our Lady's Hospice, Margaret, widow of the late Lieutenant Thomas Graham, and mother of the Rev. T. Graham, Dublin, and the Rev. E. Graham, Cape Town, and Sister Louisa Graham, India. Please pray for the repose of her soul. Funeral, at 10.30, to-day from St. Columba's Church, Iona rd.

GRAVES—April 16, 1922, departed this life, suddenly, at Eden Villa, Valentia Island, Percy R. E. Graves, aged 32 years. R.I.P.

GRAY—April 22, 1922, at her mother's residence, Elizabeth Frances, eldest daughter of the late W. S. Gray and Mrs. Gray, Naas, Co. Kildare. Funeral took place yesterday (Monday), at 2.30, to the family burial ground at Maudlins.

KILPATRICK—April 16, 1922, at his residence, Glenhill House, Glenanne, Co. Armagh, Robert Kilpatrick, aged 70 years.

MACAULAY—April 23, 1922, in hospital, James, sixth son of the late P. T. Macaulay, Inspector National Schools, 27 Nelson st. R.I.P. Funeral private.

MARTIN—April 22, 1922, at Ardcandrisk, Wexford, Annie, dearly and deservedly loved wife of William Martin, aged 61 years. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and family. "For ever with the Lord." Funeral took place yesterday (Monday) to Kilcormack at 12 o'clock (new time).

MORGAN—April 22, 1922, at Adelaide Hospital, Henry, eldest son of the late Henry Morgan, Abbey Cottage, Templemore. Funeral from hospital, 2.30, to-day (Tuesday), for Mount Jerome.

MUNRO—April 23, 1922, at 21 Leeson Park av., Dublin, John Alexander Munro, aged 78 years. Funeral this day (Tuesday), at 2 o'clock p.m., to Mount Jerome.

NICHOLS—April 22, 1922, at the residence of his sister, Elm Lawn, Serpentine av., Ballsbridge, Edward R., J.P., M.R.C.V.S., London, late of Dunlavin, Co. Wicklow, second son of Charles Nichols, 20 Northumberland rd. Funeral, 9 o'clock, this (Tuesday) morning for Mount Jerome.

REEVES—April 23, 1922, at her residence, Seery st., Mullingar, Elizabeth, relict of the late William Reeves. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Office and High Mass in Cathedral, Mullingar, to-day (Tuesday) at 10.30 a.m. Funeral from Cathedral same day, at 2 p.m. (new time), to New Cemetery.

STEWART—April 22, 1922, at her residence, 88 Fairview Strand, Dublin, Louisa, widow of the late David Scott Stewart. Funeral private.

TOWNLEY—April 15, 1922, at "Woodville," Bideford, Colonel Dawson Townley, late of the Gordon Highlanders, eldest son of the late John Townley, Tullivin House, Tullivin, Co. Cavan.

MONTH'S MIND.

VERY REV. RICHARD COLAHAN.
There will be Office and Requiem High Mass for the late Very Rev. **Richard Colahan**, P.P., V.F., to-morrow (Wednesday), April 26th, at 11 o'clock, in the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, Bray. R.I.P.

MULVIHILL—Requiem Office and High Mass will be celebrated to-morrow (Wednesday), 26th April, at 10.30 o'clock, at Parish Church, Miltown, for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Mulvihill, Halston, Westmeath. R.I.P.

IN MEMORIAM.

BERESFORD—In ever-loving memory of John W. Beresford, late editor "Daily Express," who departed this life April 23rd, 1914.

De SERANCOURT—Fifth Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Letitia Bingham de Serancourt, late of 18 North Richmond st. Sadly missed by her son and daughters. American papers please copy.

DOYLE—Third Anniversary—In loving memory of (Kathleen) Mrs. Hugh P. Doyle, 4 Palmerston Park, Co. Dublin, who died April 24th, 1919, after an operation, and her infant son (Francis Xavier), aged 4 months, who pre-deceased her by twelve days. The most holy and adorable sacrifice of the Mass will be offered this day for her eternal repose by Franciscans (Church st.) and Jesuits (Milltown Park). Inserted by her loving husband and children (Sheila, Maureen, and Desmond).

HAMILTON—April 25, 1919, at "Homelands," Strete, South Devon, Sydney Gertrude Caroline, beloved wife of Christopher H. Hamilton, and daughter of the late Robert Hamilton, of "Oatlands," Queen's Co., Ireland. In everlasting memory.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

CURRAGH CAMP SPORTS CLUB.
ALL PERSONS having claims against, or owing money to, the above Club, are requested to send details of their claims or pay such moneys to me, the undersigned, before Monday next, 1st May, 1922, in order that the affairs of the Club may be finally wound up.
J. G. WOODS, Captain, Honorary Secretary.
Curragh Camp, Co. Kildare, 22nd April, 1922.

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O'CONNELL—In ever-loving memory of Thomas Francis O'Connell, who died at his residence, No. 10 Mountjoy square, Dublin, on Saturday, 24th April, 1897. R.I.P.

O'CONNOR—In loving memory of James O'Connor, 5 Rosemount tce., Booterstown, who died on the 25th April, 1921. Deeply regretted.

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WANTED for Co. Louth, good Working Gardener, R.C., married or single. Please reply, stating age, wages expected, and copies of references, to "Z 530, Gardener," this office. 20 A

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GARDENER wants situation; good all round experience; disengaged.—N 1147, this office. 22 C

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YOUNG Gardener, plain, single; well recommended; state terms.—"Z 534, Gardener," this office. 20 B

YOUNG Man seeks situation, Gardener; understands all stock; single; good reference.—"Z 435, Gardener," this office.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

GIRL Wanted, Housework and mind baby; sleep out.—N 1074, this office. 21 C

GENERAL Help or Betweenmaid required, middle May, for Co. Kildare; early riser, very clean, good knowledge of housework, and highly recommended; good wages to capable girl; state age, and send copies.—"Z 588, General Help," this office. D

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WORKING Housekeeper, young, Protestant, required for King's Co.; wages £26; two in family.—"Z 498, Housekeeper," this office. 20 B

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GOOD Cook General ... House Parlourmaid Wanted, five in family; modern conveniences; help given; good wages.—Mrs. Digby, Highwood, Colehill, Wimborne, Dorset. 20 B

SINGLEHANDED Cook or Cook General required, middle of May, for Co. Kildare; excellent plain cooking essential; early riser; good wages to highly recommended person; state age, religion; send copies.—"Z 587, Cook," this office. 21 D

WANTED, by next week, for suburbs, very superior young Cook General, must be a good cook; also House Parlourmaid; well recommended. Reply "Z 469, Cook General," this office. 19 A

WANTED, Cook General, House Parlourmaid, country, 10 miles from Dublin, near railway; send testimonials, state age, wages.—"Z 517, Cook," this office. 20 B

WANTED, for Regimental Officers' Mess, good Cook; wages £78; kitchen man; must be active, sober, obliging, and willing to cross to England. Apply, with copy of references, "Z 391, Cook," this office. X

WANTED, superior Cook General, not over 35; must have good discharges; no fowl or dairy; good wages; country town, in West of Ireland; two in family. Replies to "Z 545, General," this office. 21 C

WANTED, Cook General for Bray; three in family; no children or fowl. Apply Mrs. Sullivan, Novara House, Bray. 19 A

WANTED, Cook General in doctor's house in provincial town; must be able to do plain cooking and well recommended; another maid kept.—"Z 412, Cook," this office. 21 C

WANTED, two nice country Girls as Cook General and House Parlourmaid; sisters or friends would suit.—Mulbrook, Maganey, Co. Kildare. 21 B

WANTED at once, good Cook General; small dairy; wages £35; near Dublin; country person preferred.—N 1150, this office. 22 D

WANTED immediately, good Plain Cook, with kitchenmaid, Westmeath; I.C. or R.C.; small dairy; two in family; six maids; wages £40. Apply "Z 609, Cook," this office. 22 C

WANTED, for Regimental Officers' Mess, good Cook; wages £78; kitchen man; must be active, sober, obliging, and willing to cross to England. Apply, with copy of references, "Z 391, Cook," this office. X

GENERALS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED General Wanted; understands cooking, housework; send references, and state salary.—Mrs. P. Brennan, Gortview, Roscommon. 19 A

GENERAL Servant Wanted; references required.—Pillar House, Jewellers, Henry street. 20 B

GENERAL (R.C.) Wanted, King's Co.; plain cooking, wages £24, good home; also Girl (15), do Light Housework, wages £12.—"Z 580, General," this office. 21 B

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WANTED, General for England; would train; good house and wages.—N 817, this office. 19 A

WANTED, experienced General, for Kingstown, 1st May; wages £24.—N 794, this office. 19 A

WANTED, good General, Protestant, Rathgar district, must be well recommended, early second week May.—N 1010, this office. 21 C

WANTED, a young General Servant. Apply, after 6.30, 1 St. Kevin's Park, Upper Rathmines. 21 A

WANTED, experienced Generals, town, country; good wages.—Blackwood's, 41 Lr. Mount street.

YOUNG General Wanted immediately; three in family; references required.—9 Anglesea avenue, Blackrock.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

AN experienced Housemaid and young Parlourmaid Wanted, near Kingstown.—"Z 584, Maids," this office. 21 D

HOUSE Parlourmaid (R.C.), for England, Wanted immediately; must be quiet and steady; would train smart girl with some experience; good reference essential; excellent situation. Apply Mrs. John Clarke, Oakley, Rostrevor, Dublin. 19 A

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted for town; wages £35 a year, all found; caps and aprons supplied; send copies of papers.—N 1153, this office. 22 E

REQUIRED, Head Housemaid (I.C.), for country; well recommended.—"Z 628, Housemaid," this office. 23 E

SECOND Housemaid required 19th May; must have good references and experience; wages £24.—Lady Fry, Government House, Isle of Man. 7 22

UNDER Housemaid required Co. Waterford. Apply, with references and terms, "Z 502, Housemaid," this office. 20 A

WANTED immediately, experienced Housemaid, R.C.; good wages.—N 713, this office. 19 A

WANTED, Single Housemaid for country; £30.—Mrs. Edward Minchin, Doory, Teshinny, County Longford. 21 C

WANTED, for country house, North of France, Housemaid, or smart young General; Irish nurse kept. Reply 42 Merrion square, Dublin, enclosing copies recent discharges. 21 C

WANTED, experienced Parlourmaid, R.C.; state age, wages, references.—Lady De Freyne, Frenchpark, Co. Roscommon. 20 A

WANTED, 26th, steady Housemaid, help with children; good laundress; small house; country, near Dublin; must be highly recommended; nurse, cook, and parlourmaid kept; wages £25; enclose copies.—"Z 510, Maid," this office. 20 B

WANTED immediately for quiet country place, House Parlourmaid; some help given; wages £20-£24. Apply, with copies, "Z 627, Housemaid," this office. 23 C

WANTED, London, House Parlourmaid; wages £36; used to children. Write Mrs. Jameson, Morant, Gipsy lane, Putney, London, S.W. 15.

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WANTED, experienced R.C. Nurse, aged about 40, for two boys, aged 18 months and 6 weeks; nursemaid kept; state wages and experience.—Mrs. Considine, Dark, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. 19 A

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REQUIRED immediately, Kitchenmaid, country girl; good scrubber, slight knowledge cooking. Send references, wages, age, Mrs. Tynte, Tynte Park, Dunlavin. 18 X

WANTED, Widow, two days' laundry, exchange for House; firewood; daughter Betweenmaid; Meath.—"Z 465, Widow," this office. 19 A

WANTED, a Kitchenmaid; good wages; for one gentleman; country.—"Z 501, Kitchenmaid," this office. 20 A

WANTED, a Kitchenmaid; wages £16 a year with uniform.—Matron, St. Patrick's Hospital, Dublin. 21 C

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DUCKS, Runner, Wallon Taylor Duke; 1931 birds, 10/- each, or 45/- together; Dry Old Duckings from Heat, 5/- each; 5 Rinki Cashmell 6cs, Crumpsall direct, 4/- each; White Leghorn Chicks, Canbarr-Strong, 1/6 each; all carriage paid.—Miss Cust, Athlone. 21 O

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DONNYBROOK—Apartments or House Let, 6th and May; rates (sole occupiers); offers.—985, Irish Times Branch Office, Rotolano. 21 C

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HOME offered to delicate or elderly lady in doctor's house; every comfort and care.—N 880, this office. 20 D

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LADY has small Contained Furnished Room, suit business girl (lady) dining out.—N 1026, this office. 21 A

NICE Furnished Flat to Let, Clontarf, sittingroom, bedroom, kitchenette; 30/- week.—N 1065, this office. 21 C

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ROOMS, Grosvenor square; terms, 45, 45, use arrangement.—Z 549, Apartments," this office. 21 C

ROOMS to Let, Unfurnished or partly Furnished, front house, bath, Ranelagh.—N 1054, this office. 21 C

SYDNEY Parade—Two bedrooms, double bedroom, drawingroom, diningroom, bath, electric light; moderate.—N 968, this office. 20 B

TO Let, 15 Upper Fitzwilliam st., self contained Furnished Flat, for three months, from 1st May. Key with caretaker. 19

TWO Gentlemen can have large Bedroom; electric light, diningroom, hot bath, full or partial board; North side; 1½d. tram.—N 832, this office. 20 A

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WELL Furnished self contained Flat to Let, four months, Pembroke road; electric light, central heating, small garden.—N 774, this office. 19 A

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ORGAN RECITALS
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TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON, APRIL 26th, at 4.45,
THURSDAY EVENING NEXT, APRIL 27th, At 8.0.
Offerings for Choir Superannuation Fund.

PROTESTANT ORPHAN SOCIETY.
ANNUAL MEETING
of above Society to be held in the GREGG MEMORIAL HALL, 8 DAWSON ST., On FRIDAY, 28th APRIL, At 3 o'clock.
His Grace the Lord ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN will preside.
And the Meeting will be addressed by Right Hon. Lord Glenavy, P.C.; Right Rev. Lord Bishop of Ossory, Sir Thomas Robinson, and Rev. R. H. Murray, Litt.D.

SPECIAL NOTICE
IRISH PILGRIMAGE TO ROME.
EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
FRANCES CHARLOTTE CARLETON, late of "Chesney," Belgrave road, Seapoint, County Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, who died on the 22nd day of February, 1922, by her Will dated the 5th February, 1922, made amongst other the following Charitable Bequests:—
£200—Mrs. Smyly's Homes and Schools, for Necessitous Children, Dublin.
£100—The Protestant Orphan Society.
£150—The Church of Ireland Clergy Widows' and Orphans' Society.
£150—The Hibernian Church Missionary Society.
Probate of the said Will was, on the 5th day of April, 1922, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), to Henry Bindon Burton, and Erroll Burton, both of 43 Dame street, Dublin, Solicitors, the Executors named in the said Will.
Dated the 21st day of April, 1922.
ERROLL BURTON, Solicitor for Executors, 43 Dame street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all whom it may Concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
DAVID A. QUAID, late of 9 and 10 Eustace street, in the City of Dublin, Solicitor, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims or demands upon the personal estate of the said David A. Quaid, who died on the 23rd day of February, 1922, are hereby required on or before the 16th day of May next to furnish in writing the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned solicitors for Miss Frances Quaid, of 6 Carlisle terrace, Corrig road, Dun Laoghaire, in the County of Dublin, the executrix named in the will of Deceased, and to whom probate thereof was granted on the 23rd day of March, 1922, forth of the Principal Registry of the Probate and Matrimonial Division of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland.
And Notice is hereby given that after the said 16th day of May next, the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.
Dated this 10th day of April, 1922.
MALLEY and CHARLES, Solicitors for the said Executrix, 32 Nassau street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE JUSTICES' CERTIFICATE FOR A HOTEL LICENCE.
SIRS,—Take Notice that I, William McCann, of Killinure, Athlone, in the County of Westmeath, Hotel Proprietor, do intend to apply at the next District Court, to be held at Moate, for the Justices' Certificate for a Hotel Licence to sell beer, cider, spirits, etc., to be consumed on the premises at the house and premises situate at Northgate street, Athlone, Townland of Athlone, Parish of St. Mary's, Barony of Brawney, and County aforesaid.
Dated this 2nd day of April, 1922.
WILLIAM McCANN, Applicant.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The depression over the North Sea will maintain winds mainly between west and north-west, with rather cold, showery weather. Considerable bright periods are probable, however, especially in the western districts.

Ireland, N.W., N.E., S.E., and S.W.—Wind westerly to north-westerly, moderate to strong; cloudy, some rain or hail showers; brighter periods, visibility mainly good; rather cold.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR (SUMMER TIME).

To-day.....Morning 11.32 | Evening 11.47
To-morrow.................. .... 12.16

SUNRISE AND SUNSET (SUMMER TIME).

To-day.....Rises ... 6. 5 | Sets 8.42
To-morrow......... 6. 3 | ,, ... 8.44
LIGHTING-UP TIME .... 9.42 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Blue Lagoon," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Empire Theatre—Dublin Opera Company; "Bohemian Girl," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"East Lynne," 6.45 and 9.0.
Bohemian—Continuous.
The Carlton—Continuous.
Princess, Rathmines—Continuous.
Sackville—Continuous.
Corinthian—Pictures, continuous.
Metropole Cinema—Continuous, 2 to 10.30 p.m.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—Continuous, 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Dublin Seamen's Institute, Eden quay—Bazaar, 2.30 to 10 p.m.
Father Mathew Feis, Church street—Prize-winners' Concert, 8 p.m.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

On Saturday and Sunday Mr. Collins held successful meetings in Killarney and Tralee. Considerable opposition was shown to Mr. Collins in Killarney by men who were armed, but he insisted on speaking, and the meeting passed off quietly. There were 4,000 people at his meeting in Tralee.—(P. 5.)

Speaking at Rathfarnham on Sunday evening, Mr. Roderic O'Connor said that the Republican Army was determined to maintain the Republic no matter what happened, and they hoped to bring the fight to a successful issue before long.—(P. 6.)

Fifty armed men raided an Ulster Steamship Company's vessel lying alongside the South Wall, Dublin, early on Saturday morning, and tried, unsuccessfully, to set it on fire. The watchman was slightly wounded with a revolver shot.—(P. 6.)

The All-Ireland Ratepayers' Association has issued a manifesto calling for a national demonstration on May 7th to demand that the elementary rights of citizenship shall be accorded to every citizen of Ireland.—(P. 5.)

The terms of reference to the Provisional Government's Committee of Inquiry into the Irish railways problem are published to-day.—(P. 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lord Leopold Mountbatten died on Sunday morning.—(P. 5.)

ABROAD.

Germany's reasons for signing a Treaty with Russia are stated in the Allied reply to be incorrect. The Powers, while regarding the incident as closed, reserve the right to declare void any provisions in the Treaty which conflict with existing Treaties.—(P. 5.)

The Prince of Wales unveiled a memorial at Yokohama to Europeans who left Japan to fight for the Allies in the war. His Royal Highness was enthusiastically cheered on the line of route.—(P. 6.)

SPORTING.

Daydawn won the International Steeplechase at Sandown Park on Saturday.—(P. 8.)

Corazon won the Alexandra Mid-Weight Handicap at Alexandra Park yesterday.—(P. 7.)

COMMERCIAL.

London Stock Markets opened yesterday in an undecided mood. Some speculative descriptions were active. Rubbers being especially strong.—(P. 9.)

In Lombard street conditions were easy and discounts were inactive. The German mark improved. Dublin Stock Market was closed.—(P. 9.)

The People's Voice.

During the last two days Southern Ireland has been deprived of letters and newspapers, but the orators have been busy. Mr. Collins has spoken in the South, Mr. de Valera in the West, and Mr. Roderick O'Connor at Rathfarnham. There is an essential difference between the attitude of the Free State leaders and that of their political and military opponents. Mr. Collins and his colleagues recognise the people's authority, are anxious to consult them without further delay, and are ready to accept their verdict. Mr. de Valera and Mr. O'Connor will not pledge themselves to accept the people's verdict. The text of the Treaty has been before the country for some months, and the Irish brain is supposed to be quick and shrewd. Yet Mr. de Valera professes to think that the people have allowed the newspapers to mislead them, and Mr O'Connor holds that even now ninety *per cent.* of the people do not understand the Treaty. This attitude is a singularly poor compliment to a nation which the whole world thinks to be fitted for the high responsibilities of self-government. We prefer to believe that the mass of the Irish people knows its own mind. Yesterday Irish Labour organised, as a protest against militarism, a brief, but remarkably successful, "downing" of tools. For fifteen hours there was a complete paralysis of all the nerves of industrial, commercial, and social life. The country bore the resultant loss and inconvenience with equanimity because it approved heartily of the purpose of the "one day strike." Is it suggested that the men who arranged this protest, and the community which endorsed it, do not know what they want?

The point immediately at issue is not the result of the coming elections, but the people's protest against anarchy. Public opinion has been slow to move, but it is beginning at last to realise its own power and the need of action. The existing disorders, the lack of any protection for life and property, the ubiquitous tyranny of the revolver are driving Southern Ireland towards bankruptcy and ruin. The people demand two things—that their accredited Government shall enforce law and order, and that the electors' verdict on the Treaty shall be free and shall prevail. Any man, whether politician or soldier, who resists either demand is an enemy of the people. When *Dail Eireann* meets to-morrow it will know exactly what the country requires of it, and it will know, too, that it can rely on the country's help in vindicating its authority. The movement started by the All-Ireland Ratepayers' Association is marching from strength to strength. The Association announces to-day that a national gathering in favour of the elementary rights of citizenship will be held in Dublin on the 7th May. It will not seek to prejudice the political issue, but will deal with the enormous injury which the present chaos is inflicting on Irish trade. Other public bodies are swelling the note of protest. A month ago the Dublin Chamber of Commerce was afraid to incur the suspicion of political action. It realises now that it must speak or perish, and it will meet to-day "to consider the present dangerous condition of the country as it affects trade and commerce." The national peril has revealed to Capital and Labour in Ireland the identity of their fundamental interests.

To-morrow the Dublin Mansion House Conference will make a further effort to arrange a *modus vivendi* between the political leaders; but its success or failure will not affect the responsibilities of *Dail Eireann*. That body remains, until the electors have spoken, the Parliament of Southern and Western Ireland. We hope that on this occasion it will refuse to waste time in long debates. Its paramount duty, as the Ratepayers' Association reminds it, is a prompt assertion of its authority. It must enforce the law and must take measures to safeguard a free vote of the people on the Treaty which the *Dail* itself has commended to the people. Mr. de Valera is a member of *Dail Eireann*. Is he still subject to its decisions? The control of the Irish Republican Army has been vested in *Dail Eireann* by the people. Is it now prepared to assert that control, which has been challenged by the action of the new Army Council? The situation is very critical; but the *Dail's* duty is clear. It must protect trade and industry, which are being destroyed by the present disorders. It must deal firmly with every influence that offers a twofold defiance to its own authority and to the people's will. A few weeks ago the *Dail* might have pleaded some excuse for ignorance of the country's need; but when it meets to-morrow the demand of Irish public opinion will ring loudly and strongly in its ears.

The Irish Railways.

We welcome the appointment by the Provisional Government of a Commission to conduct an inquiry into the administration of the Irish railways. Lord Justice O'Connor has been selected as chairman, and Mr. Thomas Johnson, Secretary of the Irish Labour Party, will act as one of three commissioners. The terms of reference, which we print to-day, are very broad. In the first place, the Commission will report on the financial position and earning powers of the several lines. In the next place, it will recommend what it believes to be the best way of improving railway administration in Ireland. It will not be tied down to any scheme of consolidation or grouping; but, obviously, something in the nature of an amalgamated system is indicated. In the third place, the Commission will investigate the whole question of wages and conditions of labour. Apparently, it will have no official cognisance of the Carrigan award, about which there was so much trouble some months ago; and it will be required to devise machinery by which wages' and hours' disputes in the future can be regulated in a peaceful way. The Commission has a very hard task before it, and we hope sincerely that as a result of its efforts the Irish railways will undergo drastic reforms. Mr. Carrigan's report was wrecked on the rocks of the eight-hour day, and this problem is likely also to be the greatest obstacle in the path of the present Commission. The fact that Mr. Thomas Johnson is a member, however, encourages the hope that agreement may be reached. The railways cannot continue in their present state. Unless something is done to co-ordinate their administration rates and fares will remain at an exorbitant level to the lasting detriment of the people's interests.

Unrest in Syria.

The French have many admirable qualities, but they are not good colonists. When, some three years ago, the French took over Syria, having deposed and banished the Emir Feisul, many friends of France had grave misgivings. Their fears have been justified; for now Syria is in a ferment. Rioting has been in progress throughout the province; numbers of natives have been killed and wounded, while all direct communication with Damascus has been suspended. Trouble has been brewing in Syria for several months, and the present disturbances have been expected for some time. Their immediate cause was the flogging of some Syrian Nationalists by the French for political offences, and feeling among the Arab population is running very high. In the towns large garrisons of French troops are able to maintain a semblance of order; but in the country districts, which are sparsely populated and lend themselves to guerilla tactics, the Syrians are concentrating formidable forces. This outbreak, although confined to a comparatively small area, is likely, if it continues, to embarrass British as well as French interests throughout Islam. To the Arab the white man is a *giaour*, whatever be his country of origin; and, if the Syrians rise in earnest against the French, we may expect developments in Mesopotamia.

Income Tax.

Great Britain is agog with excitement in anticipation of a fall in the income tax. Sir Robert Horne will open his Budget on next Monday, and optimists throughout the Kingdom predict with confidence that he will grant the taxpayers relief to the extent of one shilling in the pound. The prophecy may come true. We hope that it will come true, but we have our doubts. Revenue returns have been far from satisfactory; Ireland has dropped out of the British fiscal system, and two big strikes are pending across the Channel. In the happy, if remote, event of a reduction, however, how will the Irish taxpayer fare? Britain has relinquished her financial grip on our island. The Provisional Government is in full control of all Irish revenue. In theory, the British Budget will have as little interest for the Irish taxpayer as the Budget of Peru. How will it affect him in practice? The whole financial position is rather obscure; for there is no talk of an Irish Budget, and the British scale of taxes is still in force. Consequently, the probability is that for the time being existing taxes will continue to be levied; but, if Sir Robert Horne reduces the English income tax, the Provisional Government is likely to follow suit.

"Wireless" Photographs.

Among the most marvellous of post-war inventions is that of M. Edouard Belin, of Paris. By an apparatus which he has constructed it is possible to transmit photographs, manuscripts, or drawings of any kind over telephone, telegraph, or by "wireless." The stress of war, with its kindly flashes of inventive genius, was not responsible for the suggestion of the principle which underlies the new process; but it was responsible, in some part, for its rapid progress towards perfection. For over a quarter of a century M. Belin has been experimenting and trying to achieve his dreams. Success has smiled upon his efforts at last. Last year messages were sent by his transmitter in Paris and received in *facsimile* in America. The new apparatus is portable, and may be attached to any telephone or worked in conjunction with a "wireless" apparatus, while the complete operation of transmission lasts only six or seven minutes. The possibilities which it opens up are vast and important. The detection of criminals will be rendered easier, and many activities of trade will be accelerated. Already Japan and Italy are taking a lively interest in the invention. It remains for M. Belin to make it a commercial success.

SEIZED AND VACATED.

Y.M.C.A. BUILDING IN DUBLIN.

On Saturday afternoon a body of armed men entered the premises of the Young Men's Christian Association, 43 Upper Sackville street, Dublin, and stated that they were taking them over on behalf of Belfast expelled workers. They said that they would do as little harm as possible, and that they merely wanted the place for housing accommodation. The Secretary of the Association was communicated with, and he got into telephonic communication with the leaders of the raiders, who permitted him to call at 6 o'clock to remove some papers. When he arrived he was asked for the key of the safe. He pointed out that the money in the safe was not his property, and handed over the key under protest. The men then opened the safe in his presence and searched it, taking a small sum of money, about £2, but did no damage to papers or documents.

Subsequently the Secretary got into communication with the I.R.A. Executive at the Four Courts, and an officer called later and expressed to the Secretary his regret at the occurrence, which he said was wholly unauthorised. He promised that the premises would be vacated yesterday (Monday) morning. As a result of this officer's interference the key of the safe was handed back to the Secretary, who was given permission to enter the premises at any time.

Inquiry made yesterday elicited that the premises were vacated according to promise at 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning.

DUBLIN MASONIC HALL SEIZED.

ARMED MEN IN POSSESSION.

Armed men yesterday evening took possession of the Freemasons' Hall, Molesworth street, Dublin.

The men, who were in civilian attire, arrived in three motor lorries at 7.15 o'clock. They brought beds and a quantity of bedding with them, and transferred these to the hall, afterwards closing the gates.

The number of the invaders is stated to be about twenty, and they represented themselves to be acting on behalf of the Belfast Boycott Committee, Four Courts.

They are said to have stated that they would not interfere with the caretaker or with anything on the premises. During the night some of them left and returned by the caretaker's entrance below the main entrance, being allowed out and in by comrades apparently on guard at this portion of the building.

VIOLENCE DEPLORED.

AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR FREE STATE.

The following cablegram from Desmoines, United States of America, was received by Mr. Michael Collins on Saturday morning:—

"We, supporters of Ireland's cause in Iowa, urge the necessity of an early general election and acceptance of the verdict of the Irish people. We deplore the violence used against the Free State, which can only cause renewed British interference in Ireland's affairs, and loss of American sympathy.

"JOHN J. HALLORAN, State President, and member of National Executive, American Association, R.I.R."

DEATH OF LORD LEOPOLD MOUNTBATTEN.

ORDER FOR COURT MOURNING.

We regret to announce that Lord Leopold Mountbatten had a sudden relapse at 8.30 o'clock on Sunday morning, and passed away at 9.30.

Lord Leopold Mountbatten, formerly known as Prince Leopold of Battenberg, was the second son of the late Prince Henry of Battenberg and Princess Beatrice, youngest daughter of Queen Victoria. He was thus first cousin to the King.

Prince Leopold, who served in the war, appeared to be somewhat delicate, and suffered from some affection of the hip, which rendered him very lame. It was in connection with this trouble, it is understood, that a serious operation was undertaken on Friday night.

Prince and Princess Henry of Battenberg had three sons and one daughter. The youngest son, Prince Maurice, was killed at Ypres early in the Great War, and the only surviving children of Princess Beatrice are Prince Alexander, now Marquess of Carisbrooke, and the Queen of Spain.

Lord Leopold Mountbatten was a bachelor, and would have been 35 years of age on May 31. He was granted the style and precedence of a younger son of a Marquis in 1917, when his elder brother was created Marquess of Carisbrooke.

The King and Queen sent specially from Windsor to Kensington Palace to express their sympathy with the bereaved family.

Princess Beatrice had been staying in Sicily, and Mr. Victor Corkran, controller to her household, left a few days ago to conduct the Princess home. Her Royal Highness is not expected back in London before Thursday, and the funeral cannot take place before the end of the week. It is probable that Lord Leopold will be buried at Whippingham, Isle of Wight, where his father is interred.

The following Order was issued from the Lord Chamberlain's Office on Sunday evening:—

"The King commands that the Court shall wear mourning for fourteen days from this day for the late Lord Leopold Arthur Louis Mountbatten, G.C.V.O., and first cousin to His Majesty. The Court shall go out of mourning on Monday, May 8th next."

COURT AND PERSONAL.

VICEREGAL LODGE, DUBLIN, SATURDAY.

Their Excellencies the Lord Lieutenant and the Viscountess FitzAlan of Derwent, attended by Captain R. Straker, 12th Royal Lancers, Aide-de-Camp, honoured Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jameson with their presence at luncheon at St. Marnock's, Portmarnock, to-day.

The Marquis of Sligo, H.M.L., and the Marchioness of Sligo arrived at the Viceregal Lodge to-day.

The Earl of Kenmare, C.V.O., H.M.L.; Brigadier-General the Hon. Osbert Lumley, C.M.G.; the Hon. Mrs. Lumley, O.B.E.; Miss Lumley, and Captain the Hon. C. H. G. Mulholland, C.B.E., D.S.O., left the Viceregal Lodge to-day.

Many good wishes and congratulations are offered to Princess Mary Viscountess Lascelles, who to-day celebrates her birthday. The third child of Their Majesties, Her Royal Highness was born at York Cottage on April 25th, 1897, where she spent most of her childhood, and grew up with a love for country life and pursuits.

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Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles will return to Chesterfield House from Newmarket on Friday. Afterwards they will visit the Earl and Countess of Harewood at Harewood House, and towards the end of May they will take up residence at Chesterfield House for the season.

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The Crown Princess of Greece is now pronounced to be out of danger. Her mother, the Queen of Rumania, who has been in close attendance on her, has left Athens, and is much occupied with the arrangements for the marriage of her second daughter, Princess Marie and King Alexander of Serbia. The Duke of York will be present at the ceremony as proxy for King George, one of the two witnesses.

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The Duchess of Albany will return to Kensington Palace on May 11th. The Duke of Connaught, who will spend a few days in Paris with Captain and Lady Patricia Ramsay, on his return from the Riviera, is expected at Clarence House before the end of the month. Early in June the Duke will leave London for Bagshot Park, where he will entertain a party for Ascot.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Headfort have returned to Headfort, Kells, from Dublin. Major the Hon. Francis and Mrs. Needham have sold their house at Ascot, and are now at Pierrepoint, Farnham, Surrey. Sir Hugh McCalmont returned to Dublin last Saturday from London. Field-Marshal Earl French will leave Southampton to-day for New York, and will be away for some time.

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Lord and Lady Moreton and their daughters arrived from Australia last Friday, and are now at Tortworth Court, Gloucestershire, visiting the former's father, the veteran Earl of Ducie, who succeeded to the title and estates last year. Lord Moreton was born in Queensland in 1875, and has been occupied in farming. He married an Australian lady, the daughter of Mr. F. Bryant, of Maryborough, Queensland, and has not been in England for twenty-four years.

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Among the English visitors in Florence are the Dowager Countess of Mexborough, Sir Francis and Lady Fuller, Mr. Somerset Maughan, the writer, and Lord and Lady Vernon, who had a startling experience last week while motoring to Vallombrosa. They were fired on by three men, but fortunately escaped injury, though one of the bullets passed through Lord Vernon's hat.

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We regret to learn that the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Powell is indisposed. Though the illness is not serious, he will be obliged, under doctor's orders, to abstain from work for some weeks.

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Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney, F.R.C.S.I., has returned to 56 Fitzwilliam square, N.

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Dr. Oliver Gogarty has returned to 15 Ely place.

New Gowns and Costumes, smart Wraps and Millinery—everything for the Races, at Switzer's, Grafton street.

Race Week—Lovely Frocks, Wraps, Coats, Gowns, Hats, and Veils.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Graceful and practical Wrap in Putty Gabertine, with tassels and bronze girdle, for 8½ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

New frocks for little girls in sponge and tussore at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street and 1 and 2 Harry street.

ARRIVALS AT KINGSTOWN BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—Mrs. Correll Lloyd, Miss J. Dumay, Mrs. Spelman, Mrs. Rea Meek, Miss V. Hall, J. A. Carbery, A. E. Rogers, Miss Freda Davies, Mrs. A. Whelan, Thomas Martin, John S. Kearney, John S. Kearney, M.D.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Maddocks, Mrs. Henry Waring, Miss Winnie Donaldson, Miss Queenie Donaldson, Mr. J. J. Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. Corbett, Miss Corbett, Miss M. D. Anderson, Miss E. C. Anderson, Robert J. E. Burke, Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Miss Margaret Guinness, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parke, Mr. and Mrs. C. Waters.

DEPARTURES FROM KINGSTOWN BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—Miss Synnes, Miss Chamney, Master H. R. E. Chamney, Miss L. Gregory, Miss Dawson Jones, A. F. MacGrath, Leslie Agnew, Right Hon. Sir A. Beattie, A. A. Exham, Mrs. Wine, Stephen O'Beirne, Commander Denis O'Beirne, J. J. Hodson, Miss B. Suffern, Miss E. L. Hackett, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bevan, Miss N. O'Meara, Miss W. Delany, E. Ballany, Captain Boyd Rochfort, V.C.; W. R. Oliver, Miss H. F. Wright, Mrs. W. P. Mahony, A. M. Colgan, Mrs. Quinton Kennedy, Dr. M. M. Price, Dr. P. D. Clein, Joseph K. Kennedy, E. Burgess, Miss Wilda Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, J. Beckett, Dr. J. D. Gallagher, George Langhan, Miss O. Lane Joynt, Frank M. Ackroyd.

Race Coats, Rain Coats, and Millinery for Punchestown at McBirney's.

"Our Boys"—The Noted House for Genuine Value in Boys' School Outfits.—24 Wicklow st.

The Mansfield Sisters are now showing Smart Hats, Frocks, and Furs for the Races.—28 Wicklow street.

The Clearance Sale at the Blouse Shop, Sandycove, has been extended in order to dispose of an unexpected delivery of new goods. Remarkable bargains offered in Kiddies' Wear: Petticoats, Gowns, Nighties, Silk Frocks, and Coats.

Permanent Waving done by Experts. Success Guaranteed. Ladies will oblige by making appointments previously.—Maison Jules and Co., 26 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 I Baggot st.

BISHOP OF CORK AND RESTRAINT

Preaching in aid of the Sustentation Fund at Baggotrath Church, on Sunday, the Bishop of Cork said that to-day they saw Ireland rent asunder and stained with crime. One of the great wants of modern life was the want of discipline. Everyone wanted to do as he liked, but restraints were absolutely necessary if they were to achieve anything in life. Life without restraints would not be worth living.

[*Topical Articles of from 500 to 800 words in length are invited for this page. Contributions, which must be typewritten, should be addressed to the Literary Editor.*]

PRINT COLLECTING.

A PROFITABLE PURSUIT.

We frequently read of the enormous sums realised by fortunate owners for foreign stamps and secondhand books. As a local instance of the interest in stamps, apart from their use for franking letters, one need only quote the statement made by the Postmaster-General, at a recent meeting of the Rotary Club, that thousands of pounds had been received for the over-printed issues of the Free State. It is possible that the judging of old prints requires a greater technical knowledge than is necessary for stamps or books, a knowledge which is not acquired in a day. Neither stamps nor books are so extensively faked as prints; it does not pay anyone to establish costly printing plant for the issue of stamps, and the penalties for attempting to defraud His Majesty are sufficient to deter most people. In the case of books, the game is rarely worth the candle.

It is a different matter, however, where prints are concerned. The prizes in this branch of collecting are considerable, and many and varied are the traps for the unwary. Faking prints is not a crime against the realm, and small wonder, therefore, that the ingenuity of man is exercised to make some prints appear what they are not. It is obvious that in a short article of this nature the fringe only of this vast subject can be touched; and, at the moment, we are not concerned with the detection of "dud" prints; interesting as that subject may be. It goes without saying that the most valuable prints are the ones most worth faking, but for the amateur collector there are thousands of old prints—subjects which are never faked, and can be secured for very little—sometimes in quite unlikely places. A Dublin gentleman told the writer some years ago that he rarely made a trip to another town without picking up something in the way of an old print, the profit on which cleared his train fare.

The collector should not spread himself too much at first. It is much better to confine himself to one small section than to buy rubbish indiscriminately. He might do worse than by specialising in prints of Irish interest. The growth of the national movement has undoubtedly stimulated the interest in Irish prints of every description, and rightly so. An old print of College Green has more interest for most of us than, say, a print of the Bank of England. What Irishman worthy of the name would prefer a print of Charles, James, Fox, or Pitt to that magnificent mezzotint of John Philpot Curran? This noble print was engraved by J. R. Smith after the painting by Lawrence, and a copy in fine condition is worth £90.

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The increase in value of Irish prints generally has been enormous within the last ten years. Various reasons are given for this. Ireland has been well advertised during that period. The eyes of the world, as we have so often heard, have been turned towards Ireland. The Irish in America, it is well known, have scooped the European markets for Irish prints and books, and, in addition to this, in Irish professional and commercial circles at home. The practice of hanging on one's walls anything to cover the wall paper has given way to hanging, largely, subjects of Irish interest.

Next time you call on your stockbroker, just cast your eye around his walls. Gone are the days when anything was good enough for an office. He spends a lot of time there; his wife thinks he does, anyway. He knows that it is not a bad thing to make a good impression on a client, and, astute enough, he knows that a comfortable, attractive office are helps. He also knows that, if he is buying Irish prints, he is putting his money into something as good as War Loan; in fact, if he had bought them ten years ago, a good deal better.

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Ten years ago Malton's Views of Dublin in book form could be bought for as many pounds. To-day a fine copy in colour will fetch in the auction rooms £25 at least. Thackeray described Dublin as the "cardrivingest" city in Europe; at the time of the Union it could have been called the most engraved city in Europe. The number of engravings of Dublin is legion. Many of them are exceedingly rare, and are becoming scarcer every year, for the reasons already given. Mezzotints of Grattan are well worth buying. There are two much sought after: one, after Wheatley, engraved by Valentine Green, is worth, in mint condition, from £40 to £50; the other, engraved by Hodges, after Stuart, anything from £20 to £30. Edmund Burke, engraved by John Jones, in proof state, fetches £200, but is rarely seen. Oliver Goldsmith, engraved by Marchi, is worth £60, in good condition. One could fill a column with a list of prints of Irish interest, but space forbids. Here, surely, however, is a field for the Irish collector which will amply repay him for any trouble he may take. It will quicken his interest in the history of his country and in the men who have helped to create for Ireland her place in the sun.

DRYPOINT.

THE GAME OF CHESS.

SOME GREAT IRISH PLAYERS.

The late Mr. Porterfield Rynd is generally, but erroneously, supposed to have been Ireland's finest chess player. Without doubt, he possessed a genius for the game, which had an extraordinary infatuation for him, but one of his pupils, Dr. Alexander Pollock, who, unfortunately for himself, gave up Medicine and became a professional chess player, acquired a knowledge of the chess that Mr. Rynd never had.

After defeating Steinitz, in what is known as the "immortal game," Steinitz employed Pollock to collaborate with him in the production of his great work on chess. By doing this he secured his board and lodging for some months, but he received no pay, and found Steinitz too hard a task master to be endured. It is interesting to note that Steinitz, who was the world's champion for thirty-five years, suffered a defeat from another Irish player, the late Mr. Philip Sandford, Professor of Latin at the Queen's College, Galway. Pollock died in Canada, when quite a young man. He made a miserable existence by editing chess columns for some American papers, but was far too refined a man to be suitable for the rough and tumble of a professional chess player's life.

George F. Barry, the famous Leinster cricketer, was believed by many judges to be quite as good a player as Rynd. A match between them for a cup offered by the Dublin Chess Club fell through, as on the evening when it was to take place Barry wrote asking for a postponement on the ground that he was not feeling well. Rynd would not agree to this, but insisted that the cup was forfeited by default. It was given to him, but that terminated his connection with the club. Another great chess player was the late Provost Salmon. He played Paul Morphy at the Dublin Exhibition of 1853. This was a wonderful game, and is much commended in the chess books. At the close each player was reduced to one bishop and three pawns, when Morphy electrified the spectators by declaring a win in eighteen moves. At that period Dr. Salmon was regarded as one of the first Mathematicians in Europe, and his treatise on Conic Sections had just appeared. The only comment that he made, on being defeated by Morphy, was "that he believed he would be able to play him if he had the leisure necessary to study the game sufficiently."

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Mr. Stanley Monck was another Irishman whose name was well known in Chess circles. His specialty, however, was the solving of problems and analysing complicated positions. He got so much into the habit of analysing every move that his play over the board became intolerably tedious, and no person cared to encounter him. Dr. G. F. Shaw, S.F.,T.C.D., was also an expert at problems. For some years before his death he sent solutions of the weekly problem to the *Illustrated London News*. These were signed "T.C.D.," and were almost invariably correct. After his death a photograph of him appeared in that paper, and it was not until then it was known who "T.C.D." was, except to a few in the secret.

At the present time there are some fine players in all the City Chess Clubs. Many of these belong to the Jewish community, who seem to have a particular aptitude for the beautiful calculations to which chess gives rise. The combinations are virtually inexhaustible, and the charm of the game lies in their infinite variety. Like everything else, chess can be overdone, and those who allow themselves to be obsessed by it not infrequently lose their reason, but I have never heard of an Irishman guilty of this folly. We have too many counter attractions. Some years ago at the Richmond Asylum, Dr. Daniel F. Rambaut, who was then an assistant medical officer, introduced the game as an experiment to see if it would be of any benefit to some of his patients. This gave rise at the time to the following epigram:—

Since Steinitz and Morphy went mad upon chess,
The subject is not one for banter,
Still the Grangegorman Chess Club may prove a success.
Similia similibus curantur!

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TRIBUTE TO PREMIER.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

Mr. Chauncey Depew, President of the Pilgrims' Club, addressing the members at a banquet last night, when Sir Auckland Geddes was the guest of honour, said that he believed that Mr. Lloyd George's career had not been equalled by any statesman. "Whatever may be our antagonistic views regarding his policies and purposes, we certainly can all agree, as one of the representatives of the English-speaking nations of the world, that there is no more able, adroit, wise, tactful, and resourceful statesman than Mr. Lloyd George."—(Reuter.)

On the ground that the number of such applications have latterly become a positive scandal, the French Divorce Court judges have thrown out all applications for divorces by Americans.

LONDON LETTER.

BUDGET RUMOURS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
MONDAY NIGHT.

There is a dreadful rumour in the *Star* to the effect that the Chancellor of the Exchequer means to spring a surprise tax on the country, and that inquiries are being made in the City with regard to it. If he is really thinking of anything of the sort he may be candidly advised to think again. Unfortunately, you do not increase the capacity of a cask by boring another bunghole in it, and to take off taxation in one place and clap it on in another is, in nine cases out of ten, wasteful finance, because the new impost requires fresh machinery, new forms, and more officials.

At the present moment everything that can impress upon the Government the necessity of diminishing the public burdens is of importance. The meeting in the City this afternoon was worth while, if only for the trenchant speech of Lord Inchcape, one of the Geddes "axers," and his reminder that the Government so far has come a long way short of the programme of retrenchment mapped out for it. Sir Robert Horne may announce some reduction of taxation on Monday next, though there is no certainty that he will; but he will gain little *kudos* for the Government unless he can show that it is justified by the further "cuts" in expenditure that it is proposed to make during the coming year.

M. POINCARE'S SPEECH.

Alarming inferences are drawn from the brief reports of M. Poincaré's speech at Bar le Duc. It would probably be wise to wait for the full text and not to assume that the French Premier has taken up an intransigeant attitude and intends to cut France adrift from her Allies and send her into a far from splendid isolation unless she gets exactly her own way at Genoa. Statesmen do not make rash decisions of this kind, and it will probably be found that M. Poincaré has simply translated into popular language a policy already agreed in certain eventualities with his British colleague.

People who have been in touch with the British delegation at Genoa and have returned home, report that the Prime Minister is very angry at the repeated allegation that he was aware of the Russo-German treaty, and that his indignation at the announcement was not merely simulated. It is quite likely that more will be heard of this matter when Mr. Lloyd George gets back to London. At the same time, it is admitted that the Prime Minister ought to have been kept better informed from Berlin, since it was known there that something was going on contrary to the interests of the Allies. There can be no doubt that the Prime Minister did not know of these discussions, but he ought to have been informed.

The death of Lord Leopold Mountbatten will be a very great grief to his sister, the Queen of Spain; for a very warm attachment existed between them, and both before and after her marriage she spent much time with him. Before she was married she used to go abroad with him, and after her marriage he used to pay long visits to Spain. The blow to Princess Beatrice will be a very great one, particularly as she herself was in Sicily in search of health and rest. Both the Princess and the Queen of Spain are said to be on their way to London.

COURT MOURNING.

The King has made the Court mourning as light as possible, and it is said that it will make very little difference to the balls arranged for this week. They and charity functions, and postponement would mean considerable expense and loss. The mourning will not interfere with the visit of the King and Queen to Belgium, but His Majesty has abandoned his proposed visit to Newmarket. It is unlikely that there will be a departure from the intention to give some entertainments at Buckingham Palace during the season.

Sir William Sutherland for some time past has given up work at the Coalition headquarters in Old Queen street, and now he has ceased to control the *Lloyd George Liberal Magazine*. He is also giving up his room at 10 Downing street. Sir William now will have his headquarters at the offices of the Duchy of Lancaster in Wellington street, and a private room from behind the Speaker's Chair in the House of Commons. The administrative duties of his new office, however, will not take up any great amount of his time, and it is believed that the Prime Minister will make use of his services in other capacities, particularly with regard to electioneering.

THE IRISH STRIKE.

If one may judge by the effect on this side, the strike in Ireland to-day must have been very effective. The much-badgered trunk department of the London Telephone Service to-day reported no communications with Dublin whatever, and no calls could be got through to anywhere in Southern Ireland after nine o'clock this morning. The only wire working was the official Government wire from Whitehall to Dublin Castle. The last message received here this morning stated that the people of Dublin were meeting the unpleasant situation with perfect calm, and that thousands had left the city to spend a day in the country.

There was a rumour that the strike might continue if the political and military leaders on both sides failed to give a satisfactory undertaking; but it is hoped here that such a step will not be considered necessary from any point of view. The strike has little effect on this side, but it is thought that the continuance of such an abnormal situation can have no good effect anywhere. Consequently, it is hoped that there is truth in another rumour that powerful influences are at work to bring about peace, or some semblance of peace.

The House of Commons reassembles on Wednesday, but the Whips do not anticipate that there will be a large attendance. Many members will delay their return to London until Monday, when Sir Robert Horne will introduce his first Budget. Many Ministers, however, will return to London to-morrow to resume their duties. Mr. Chamberlain will be back again in Downing street, while Mr. Churchill will, if well enough, return to the Colonial Office.

Once again, though with little apparent reason, speculations are afloat concerning the date of the general election. It is reported that Mr. Asquith recently gave it as his opinion to Mr. Frank Gray, the "Wee Free" candidate for Oxford City, that a general election would take place in June, and that Mr. Gray, who is about to start on a three months' political tour in Ireland, would be recalled before he could complete his tour. In other directions June is also given as the prospective date, with the addition that, if a shilling is taken off the income tax, a general election is certain.

SIR HENRY WILSON.

Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson is to be the guest of the evening at the annual dinner of Trinity College Dining Club at the Grand Hotel on Thursday. Sir Almroth Wright will take the chair.

"IRISH TIMES" IN LONDON

The "Irish Times" can be obtained at the Bookstall on the departure platforms at Euston Station on the evening of the day of publication, or on the following morning at the London Office, 59 Fleet Street.

THE PEOPLE'S PROTEST.

ALL SOUTH JOINS IN ONE-DAY STRIKE.

MILITARISM MUST CEASE.

INSISTENT DEMAND FOR PEACE AND SECURITY.

Dublin has been the scene of many remarkable demonstrations, but none more impressive than that which took place yesterday, when the commercial and industrial life of the city was stopped as a protest against the growth of militarism.

The demonstration had been organised by the Irish Labour Party and Trade Union Congress, but it was not confined to the ranks of organised Labour; all classes took part in it.

During the forenoon members of the various trade unions assembled in Beresford place, and, after marching through some of the principal streets, gathered round three platforms which had been erected in Sackville street.

Strong speeches against militarism were made by Labour leaders, and resolutions were adopted endorsing the party's demand for political peace in the country.

A GREAT SILENCE.

ALL CLASSES JOIN STRIKE.

Yesterday was marked in Dublin by a general stoppage of work for a period of 15 hours, in compliance with the manifesto issued by the Executive of the Irish Labour Party and Trade Union Congress. The strike, which began at 6 a.m. and continued until 9 p.m. was complete in every detail.

The only delivery permitted was that of the milkman, whose carts went the usual rounds of the city and suburbs in the early morning. Apart from the milk carts all vehicular traffic was suspended. There were no tramcars running; there were no cabs, cars, or taxis in the thoroughfares; no trains arrived at or departed from any of the Dublin termini; there was no carrying of goods or merchandise; all work was suspended on the vessels lying in the Liffey. The entire city was pervaded by a silence even more pronounced than that of a Sabbath morning.

The action of the Irish Labour Party, apparently, had the approval of all classes of citizens. In the words of the manifesto the strike was called as a protest "against the growth of the idea that the military forces may take command of the civil life of the nation without responsibility to the people."

Some rifle and revolver shots were heard on the North side of the city during the morning and early forenoon, but no hospital cases were reported, and no attempt was made by any of the armed men to interfere with the holding of the Labour procession and demonstration which took place at midday.

POST OFFICE CLOSED.

In addition to the stoppage of the railway services and of the tramway and transport services, the work of the Post Office was entirely suspended. There were no deliveries of bread, no hotel or restaurant services, and all the publichouses in the city and suburbs were closed. The theatres, music halls, and cinemas were closed, as were the offices of the Dublin newspapers, in morning and evening. In fact, the popular protest against making "the possession of arms the sole title to political authority" was thorough and complete so far as the masses of the people of Dublin were concerned.

At about 11 a.m. the Trade and Labour bodies of the city assembled at Beresford place, and formed a procession which paraded some of the principal thoroughfares, and then gathered round three platforms which had been erected in Sackville street. Speeches were delivered by several of the principal Labour leaders. The entire proceedings were characterised by good order, and no incident of an untoward character occurred.

At the head of each contingent of tradesmen and labourers a large banner was borne. A significant fact was that every workman taking part in the demonstration had forfeited a day's pay in order to do so—a serious sacrifice for a wage-earner.

BOGUS PROCLAMATION.

During the night or early morning hours a printed document was posted throughout the central area of the city which caused many expressions of surprise and incredulity among the large crowd gathering for the demonstration. The poster, which was headed in bold, black type, and purported to come from the "Headquarters of the Irish Workers' Republic, Liberty Hall," read as follows:—

PROCLAMATION.

"The Irish Labour Party and the Irish Socialist Party, having decided that the hour has struck for the emancipation of the Irish workers from the chains of capitalism, both native and foreign, have declared the Irish Workers' Republic, and call upon the working class to seize power, and set up Workers' Councils in every town and village in Ireland.

"The bourgeois politicians have shown by their blunders and the betrayal of the fundamental rights of the Irish people that they are totally incapable of governing. They have plunged the country into a state of chaos. They and their armed bands are terrorising the plain people of Ireland.

"It is the duty of the Irish worker to seize the golden opportunity, while the capitalist thieves are quarrelling over the spoils wrenched from the grasp of Britain, to hold aloft the torch of Communism as the only light that is capable of leading the Gael out of the slavery of capitalist exploitation into the haven of industrial democracy.

"Workers, man the barricade for liberty!
"Down with the paid parasites in uniform!
"Down with the capitalist class!
"Death to the exploiters!
"Long live the Irish Communist Workers' Republic!

(Signed)—"Wm. O'Brien, Dublin; Cathal O'Shannon, Dublin; Thos. Foran, Dublin; Thos. Johnston, Dublin; Richard Corish, Wexford; Thos. Farren, Dublin."

Very little inquiry served to show that the "proclamation" was a bogus document, and that the signatures appended to it were forgeries. When a copy of the document was shown to Mr. Thomas Johnson, Secretary of the Irish Labour Party, he disclaimed all knowledge of it, as did all the other Labour leaders. The bogus proclamation was denounced from the various platforms.

Alderman O'Brien declared that the poster "was probably issued by a number of individuals who made themselves scarce when there was fighting to be done."

THE RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was passed at all three platforms:—

"That this mass meeting endorses the recent manifestoes of the National Executive of the Labour Party on the military and political situation, and pledges its support for any action that may be considered necessary to achieve the object desired."

The demeanour of the large crowds around the platforms was earnest and sympathetic, and there was no audible evidence of hostility towards the object of the demonstration.

DANGER OF MILITARISM.

WORKERS' DETERMINATION TO RESIST IT.

At platform No. 1, which was adjacent to the Parnell monument,

Mr. Edward O'Carroll, Chairman of the Dublin Workers' Council, presided. He said that the demonstration in itself was a sufficient repudiation of the ridiculous poster that appeared on some of the walls that morning. He would not insult the intelligence of that great gathering by saying more about it than that the Labour Party disclaimed all responsibility for it. It was not against any particular party to the controversy of the day that this Labour demonstration had been organised, but it was against the spirit of militarism that was rising up in their midst, and which was the outcome of a set of circumstances for which all parties, including the military parties, were responsible. (Hear, hear.) Four years ago the Irish Labour Party demonstrated in a similar manner to this against the British attempt to force conscription on the people of Ireland, and they succeeded. On that occasion the Labour Party stated that, even if an Irish Government attempted to conscript them, they would resist, but little did they think four years ago that they should now be confronted with a form of militarism that was not less objectionable than that of the foreigner.

They came together that day to record their protest against any Irish Government's attempt to sow the spirit of militarism in the country. (Applause.) The seeds of militarism were being sown to-day; they protested against it, and they meant to slay that spirit at its birth. (Hear, hear.) No man's life or property was safe under it; one could not walk the streets of Dublin without being assailed by military motor cars filled with men with their guns at the "ready." What were they out for? Was it to shoot down their own people?

Fusillades by night disturbed the citizens' rest, and men and women, as well as children, were terrified. Those in command at Beggars' Bush said that they were not responsible for the shooting, and the people at the Four Courts repudiated responsibility.

The latest indignity and humiliation offered to the citizens and the people of the country was that they were being "held up" and searched. Who was responsible for issuing that order? He claimed the right to go where he pleased without being "held up." He hoped the people would brace themselves up to resist that insulting treatment. (Hear, hear.) Judging by statements that were made, it would seem that reason, sanity, and common-sense had departed.

He appealed to the young men to drop militarism and to turn their guns into ploughshares, and so raise their country industrially and economically. By doing that they would give the leaders the answer they deserved. The leaders had been elected to a position of responsibility. Great things had been expected from them, and they must be told that they cannot trifle or gamble with the lives of the people of this country. No matter how sublime the ideals of the leaders may be, a common policy and a common platform must be arranged. (Applause.)

The workers of this country would not allow either the military party or the political party to prejudice their position any further.

ONE THING NEEDFUL.

Mr. Thomas Johnson, Secretary of the Irish Labour Party, said that the demonstration wanted just one element to complete its success, and that was the presence of a couple of thousand young men from Beggars' Bush and from the Four Courts who would declare publicly that they would not take up arms against their fellow-citizens. (Hear, hear.) He appealed to men on either side of the Republican Army to refuse to shoot down their fellow-workmen who happened to be in the military ranks, and to reserve their ammunition for the common enemy.

They were not all of them that day in the position of pacifists, but they were there to denounce militarism and the spirit of military ascendancy, because in practice, as they knew it to-day, it was a spirit that would deprive thousands of men of employment and prevent the development of the national life. (Hear, hear.)

They denounced militarism and the acts of brigandage that were taking place through the country. If it was not stopped it would bring about a counter-revolution. He knew that the effect of the armed bands that were on the loose—the searchings, the holds-up, the looting and levying, and the brigandage that were taking place in different parts of the country—was beginning to tell upon the patience of the people. That impatience would be exploited by the enemies of the Irish people, and if the men at the head of the army were not careful they would have the Sir Henry Wilsons of Belfast using their opportunity to sweep away the people's hopes and aspirations for liberty, and also rally those people who said to-day: "We were better off under the Black and Tans and the English *régime*."

If there was nothing more than that in the situation, there was sufficient to ask that the leaders should look ahead, and not play with possibilities.

Had Dail Eireann carried out its democratic declaration; had the pledge it gave in January last been kept, and the programme even attempted to be carried out, there would not be so much unemployment now, nor so many hungry children, nor so many untilled ranches. But, above all, let the people remember that while the spirit of militarism was abroad, the economic emancipation of the country could not be taken in hand by government or politicians, or any other people who had the guidance and ruling of the population in their hands. (Applause.)

Miss Cahalane, President of the Distributive Workers' Union, on behalf of that body, added her protest to the voice of the masses against the militarism which was rampant in Dublin at present.

HORRIBLE MENACE.

Mr. Thomas Irwin, Secretary to the Plasterers' Union, said that he, as a Republican, was there to enter his protest against the horrible menace of militarism, and against the acts of violence that flowed from it. What Ireland wanted at present to be saved from was her friends.

Mr. Thomas Farren said that the Labour Party that day had stopped the wheels of industry to show the gunmen that the life of the country could not be carried on with guns. The young men, he said, were being educated in blood-lust, so that the more people they killed the more they would want to kill. The Labour Party would kill that spirit, and the gunmen would find that they could not be masters in this country. He did not believe the young men would shoot one another because of personal jealousies. (Hear, hear, and applause.)

"It is no matter to us," said the speaker, "who has been disappointed in a job. Perhaps if here were jobs enough to go round we should not be suffering from militarism now. (Applause.) The fellows who use a gun cannot make a gun, or the ammunition, and, if necessary, we will paralyse the whole industrial machinery in this country in order to bring them to their senses."

MESSAGE TO THE DAIL.

UNITY OF ARMY WANTED.

Mr. Cathal O'Shannon, Vice-Chairman of the Irish Labour Party, who presided at the second platform, denounced the bogus "proclamation," and said that the workers had fought successfully against British militarism, and they would fight against Irish militarism in exactly the same way.

It should be understood that in speaking against militarism they were not speaking against the united military force which was essential for the defence of Ireland's aspirations. Unfortunately those in the Army were settling down to fight one another, but none of the so-called irregulars or so-called regulars had a right to ride roughshod over the people.

They protested against the action of those, whether from Beggars' Bush or Marlborough Hall, or the Four Courts, acting in the same way as the Black-and-Tans and Auxiliaries, rushing in lorries through the city. They protested against the men of both armies produc-

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BOMB AND BULLET.

ANXIOUS WEEK-END IN BELFAST.

THREE MEN STABBED

Although up to Sunday afternoon no deaths were recorded, Belfast experienced another anxious week-end.

On Saturday night a bomb was thrown on the top of a wooden barricade which divides Seaforde street from Newtownards road. It exploded, but no damage was done. Later a second bomb was thrown from Grosvenor road into Roden street, and smashed the windows of a grocery shop and a house.

Three men were attacked and stabbed at Bridge-end. They were taken to hospital, but only one was detained. He had been stabbed in the head, face, and chest.

During Curfew hours on Sunday morning a good deal of shooting took place in the East end of the city. No casualties were reported.

On Sunday afternoon two boys were wounded by bullets in the York street district, and a man was shot in the neck in Old Lodge road.

A man named Sibbotson, who was admitted to hospital last evening, died from his wounds. He was a timekeeper in a chemical works, Short strand, and a Protestant.

CATHOLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE'S STATEMENT.

The following statement was issued by the Belfast Catholic Protection Committee yesterday:—

The telegram which the Belfast Catholic Protection Committee sent on Friday, 21st April, 1922, to the Right Hon. Winston Churchill and the Right Hon. Austen Chamberlain has been the subject of gross misrepresentation by the Orange Press of Belfast, notably that of the *Northern Whig*, in its editorial of 22nd April, 1922. This article describes the telegram as consisting of "frigid and calculated lies," and the Belfast Catholic Protection Committee as a "Sinn Fein organisation."

The Committee is composed of Catholic gentlemen representative of the business and professional life of the city, and its chairman is the Rev. B. J. Laverty, Adm. Its aims are to advise, consult with, and afford relief to their victimised co-religionists. It is not a political organisation.

The facts on which the statements in the telegram were based speak for themselves.

Since April 1st, when the "pact" between the Northern and the Provisional Governments was signed, the following atrocities have been committed on the Catholic community of Belfast:—

Murdered—14 men, 3 women, 4 children.
Attempted murder, 27.
Wounded, 39.
Houses looted and burned, 75.
Houses bombed, 5.
Families evicted, 80.
Persons homeless, 357.

These facts can be vouched for and proved before any impartial tribunal, and are not as the *Whig* suggests, "ingenious concoctions of a Sinn Fein department."

The *Northern Whig* is edited by Mr. R. Lynn, a member of the Northern Parliament, and any influence he exerts would, in the opinion of the Committee, be more fittingly directed towards bringing peace to the city than in endeavouring to misrepresent the existing situation.

The following telegram was also sent to the Right Hon. Winston Churchill by the Rev. B. J. Laverty, Chairman of the Catholic Protection Committee:—

"War on Catholics continues. Yesterday (Sunday) bomb thrown at church filled with worshippers. Mother killed, Royal Irish Constabulary constable wounded while entering. Four children wounded yesterday. To-day man of 76 assassinated."

DISBANDED R.I.C.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

The following statement was issued from the Royal Irish Constabulary Office, Dublin Castle, last night:—

"Arrangements are being made for providing accommodation in Great Britain for disbanded members of the Royal Irish Constabulary and their families. Any disbanded men who find a difficulty in obtaining accommodation, either for themselves or their families, should apply to the Deputy Inspector-General, Dublin Castle, who will furnish information with regard to these arrangements."

EX-SERGEANT MURDERED.

SHOT DEAD IN ENNIS.

The following official announcement was made last night:—

"Information has been received in the Royal Irish Constabulary Office, Dublin Castle, that ex-Sergeant John Dunne, who had 33 years' service and was disbanded last Tuesday, was murdered in Ennis yesterday by being shot dead."

IRISH RAILWAYS.

PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT'S COMMISSION.

The Provisional Government has appointed the undermentioned:—Right Hon. Lord Justice O'Connor (Chairman), T. Johnson, E. MacLysaght, and M. O'Dea as a Commission of Inquiry to advise the Government as to what changes, if any, are desirable in the administration of the Railway Undertakings in Ireland, and in particular, to report on:—

(a) The financial position and earning powers of the several Railway undertakings, including those in receipt of Baronial Guarantees.

(b) The best means of consolidating, or otherwise working, the different Railways in the future, and of providing the Rolling Stock and other equipment used on the Railways.

(c) The remuneration and conditions of employment of the salaried and wages staff, and arrangements for the future settlement of questions relating to such matters.

(d) Any other matters affecting the working and administration of the Railways upon which, in the opinion of the Commission, it is expedient to report in the interests of the proprietors of the Railway Companies, the employes and the public.

Mr. J. Ingram, Transport Department, Ministry of Economic Affairs, 14 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, is appointed Secretary to the Commission. All communications for the Commission should be directed to the Secretary at the above address.

EVEREST EXPEDITION.

TRANSPORT DIFFICULTIES.

The Times has received the following despatch from General Bruce, dated Kampadzong, April 12:—

The main body of the Mount Everest Expedition left Yatung on the 4th for Pharidsong, on the main road to Lhasa. At Pharidsong all the stores previously sent on were found collected, the camp having been pitched by advance parties. Every attempt had been made to collect a sufficiency of transport, but apparently owing to the earliness of the season a great number of animals were in the poorest of condition, and difficulty was experienced in collecting an adequate number. Finally a mixed collection of yaks, bullocks, mules, and donkeys produced about 320 in all.

A start was made on the morning of the 8th. The weather degenerated until at 1 p.m. a blizzard of driving snow and wind made it impossible to keep in the track. After an exceedingly trying march Kampadzong was reached on April 11.

THE "FREEMAN'S JOURNAL."

The *Freeman's Journal*, which was "suppressed" on the 30th March by a number of armed men who entered the premises and smashed the machinery, was able to republish last Saturday morning. In a very short space of time adequate machinery had been procured, and the production was highly creditable to all concerned. During the period since the destruction of its machinery the *Freeman* produced daily a typewritten sheet in which the events of the day were briefly recorded, and in this way the continuity of the publication was preserved.

JAPANESE IN SIBERIA.

VLADIVOSTOK, Saturday.

The Japanese 8th Division is arriving here to replace the 11th Division. Japanese troops have passed Ussuri, and are now advancing on Khabarovsk.—(Reuter.)

FREEDOM AND PEACE.

THE PEOPLE DEMAND THEIR RIGHTS.

RATEPAYERS AND DAIL EIREANN.

NATIONAL GUARD SUGGESTED.

The All-Ireland Ratepayers' Association has issued the following manifesto, in which it calls for a national demonstration in Dublin, on May 7, to demand that the elementary rights of citizenship shall be accorded to every citizen of Ireland:—

The Irish nation is to-day at the parting of the ways, and the Sovereign Assembly of Dail Eireann has committed to its care the welfare of the people. Such terrible responsibility would test to the utmost the abilities of older and more experienced men with a heritage of native legislation and administration handed down from preceding generations. If we, on behalf of the ratepayers and business men, raise our voice, we do so in full appreciation of the difficulties with which our Government is faced. Ordered government, the goal of the best regulated nations, is, we know, well-nigh impossible in the evening of revolution; but the situation obtaining here at the present time cannot last, and if not immediately improved will rapidly become worse. It is with confidence we appeal to Dail Eireann to take whatever steps are necessary to establish its undisputed authority over the land. By doing so it must not be taken that we, as an Association, are taking sides in the present political conflict, for whatever our individual views may be, we are resolutely opposed to disorder and chaos and take our stand behind the lawfully constituted authority of the people. The tyrannies which we have had to endure through the *force majeure* of a foreign despot cannot be tolerated when imposed by our own people.

This Association has decided to hold a national demonstration in Dublin on Sunday, the 7th May, to assert the people's rights. This meeting will be called to deal with the economic and financial state of the country, and not to further the interests of any political party. Politics have their own place in national life, but current arguments in political controversy are unworthy of a people who have made such a fight for freedom. Every thinking man knows that the direct and consequential loss arising out of the chaotic state of the country must ultimately be borne by every individual citizen. The great slump in trade and industry, and the consequent amount of unemployment, are problems that should now be engaging the serious attention of our legislators, instead of rifles, bombs, and machine-guns.

NOCTURNAL RATTLING.

We would ask each member of the Dail to travel his constituency with his eyes open, and examine the economic conditions that prevail there, and see does the country want internal strife. How can such strife be averted without a strong Government, supported by the people? It is not political partisanship, or any manifestation for or against the Treaty, to ask the people of Ireland from all the thirty-two counties to come to the national demonstration in Dublin. Here, where the leaders are meeting, conferring, and adjourning, is the place for the plain people to assert their elementary rights as citizens, and the people have about enough of this game of "put-and-take," with nocturnal rattling of machine-guns and rifles. It is time that the citizens asked themselves who is to pay for the damage done, and who is keeping up the damage-doers, and have the political leaders repudiated those acts, or have they, by their silence, countenanced them? The people naturally expect from their representatives a public disavowal of the acts of lawlessness that are being daily committed by alleged political groups. The citizens, who are groaning under this terror, demand from their political leaders a public pronouncement that no act of intimidation, confiscation, or commandeering in any shape or form, is sanctioned or tolerated by any representative, or groups of representatives, of the people.

The object of the meeting is, as stated by us in the report which appeared in the Press on Saturday, the 22nd inst., to assert the elementary rights of citizenship, viz.,

(a) Freedom of speech.
(b) Freedom of the Press.
(c) Freedom of election.
(d) Adequate protection for life and property.

Such rights belong to the whole people, and are not the monopoly of any section. It is common knowledge that the people have not these rights, and it is for the assertion of these rights that the demonstration is proposed to be held.

ALL IRELAND AFFECTED.

As stated above, our invitation is extended to the people of all Ireland, without exception of Government, politics, or creeds, as all Irishmen feel as much the shame of Belfast as the shame of Dublin. Irish blood is being shed in both cities, and it is not improbable that if the business people of field, factory, and workshop, from the 32 counties, attend the meeting to be held on Sunday, the 7th May, we might be within measurable distance of peace and unity, and the end of the revolver and bomb in politics.

It is not necessary to say that the citizens' rights demanded above are the first essentials to national reconstruction and industrial development. Without them, the economic life of this, or any nation, is unstable, and national credit and *prestige* disappear. We are now dependent upon our own resources, and no progress can be made unless our credit is good and assured. The completion of land purchase is a burning question too long delayed, and decent houses must be built for the people in town and country; but these and other important schemes of national reconstruction must remain in abeyance until normal conditions are established.

AN ECONOMIC POLICY.

The All-Ireland Ratepayers' Association, or what might be a more correct title, "The National Economic Party," owing to being representative of the agricultural, industrial, commercial, and trading life of Ireland, is in a unique position to see the situation in its true perspective. This Association, which had long hoped for a political settlement, had been for some time working out a national economic policy, and only interfered in the vexed question of politics when it was clear that the economic life of the nation was in danger. The crisis may, however, yet prove useful in bringing together the forces that make for stability in a nation.

There is very good reason to hope that the railway companies will patriotically facilitate the people coming to the demonstration by placing at their disposal the entire rolling-stock of the different systems.

Notwithstanding any agreement that may be arrived at at the Conference to be held on Wednesday, the 26th inst., the demonstration will be held with a view to asserting that the voice of the people is supreme; and the supremacy of the people depends on their coming to the demonstration to assert that supremacy.

The formation of a National Guard, bearing allegiance to the people, and not to a form of Government, is being seriously considered, and is a possibility not by any means remote if existing conditions continue.

(Signed.)
PATRICK BELTON, President, Dublin.
EDWARD DOYLE, Vice-President, Baltinglass, Co. Wicklow.
JOHN J. BERGIN, Vice-President, Athy, Co. Kildare.

DUBLIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

An advertisement elsewhere in our columns announces that an emergency meeting of the members of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce will be held to-day at 3 o'clock p.m., "to consider the present dangerous condition of the country as it affects trade and commerce."

MASONIC HALL BURNT.

The Masonic Hall at Carrick-on-Shannon was burned to the ground early on Saturday morning. The hall was known as the Surgeon Parke Memorial Hall, and was erected in 1896 to the memory of this County Leitrim man, who had such a distinguished record with the Stanley expedition to Africa. All the furniture and regalia were destroyed, including an oil painting of Surgeon Parke by Miss Folliott. Only the walls are now standing. Seven empty petrol tins were found in the ruins, and a man's coat, partially burned, lies in the Shannon near the scene. The Anglo-American Oil Company's stores were raided during the night, and a quantity of petrol was taken away.

GERMANY'S WEAK DEFENCE.

ALLIES' DENIALS.

ISOLATION FEARS UNFOUNDED.

The Allies and Associated States' reply to the Note in which Germany said that she was forced to complete an agreement with Russia, as her interests in Europe were being ignored, says that such was not the case.

No scheme for European reconstruction would have been accepted by the Conference until it had been fully discussed, and, as Germany had been admitted as an equal, she would have had the fullest opportunity of stating her case.

Germany had acted contrary to the spirit of loyal co-operation which is essential for the success of the Conference, and the Powers must reserve the right to declare void any clauses in the Treaty which might be in opposition to clauses in existing treaties.

POWERS' FIRM NOTE.

RIGHT OF VETO RESERVED.

GENOA, Sunday.

The representatives of the ten Powers who signed the Note of protest to Germany resumed their discussions this morning and concluded at midday. The following reply was sent to the President of the German Delegation, in answer to the latter's communication:—

"Mr. President, the undersigned desire to acknowledge the receipt of your reply to their Note of April 18, indicating the attitude which they feel bound to adopt in view of the treaty concluded between the Russian and German Delegations. They note with satisfaction that the German Delegation realises that the conclusion of a separate treaty with Russia on matters falling within the purview of the Conference renders it undesirable that that Delegation should participate in future discussions upon conditions of the agreement between Russia and the various countries represented at the Conference.

"The undersigned would have preferred to refrain from further correspondence on the subject, but there are, however, certain statements in your letter which they feel it to be their duty to correct.

"Your letter suggests that the German Delegation has been forced to conclude a separate agreement with Russia, owing to the refusal of the members of the Delegations of the convening Powers to consider the grievous difficulties which the proposals formulated by their experts in London would have created for Germany.

"The undersigned representatives of the convening Powers have made enquiries of the members of their respective Delegations, and find that there is no shadow of justification for this statement. On various occasions the members of the German Delegation have met and talked with the members of the Delegations of the convening Powers, but never has it been suggested that the London proposals afforded no basis for discussions in the Conference, and that the German Delegation was about to conclude a separate treaty with Russia.

"The allegation that informal discussions with the Russians on the subject of the recognition of debts exposed the Delegation to the risk of being confronted with a scheme unacceptable to Germany, but already approved by the majority of the members of the Commission, is equally unfounded. No scheme would, or could, have been accepted by the Conference without the fullest opportunity of discussion by the competent committees, and on these Germany was represented on an equal footing with the other Powers.

"A misconception of the scope of the experts' proposals, or a misunderstanding of the informal conversations with the Russians might well have justified a request for full discussion by the committees of the Conference. They can provide no justification for the action which has now been taken, and the undersigned can only regret that your Note should have attempted in this way to impose upon the other Powers the responsibility for a proceeding so contrary to the spirit of loyal co-operation which is essential to the restoration of Europe.

"The undersigned, however, reserve for their Governments the right to declare null and void any clauses in the Russo-German Treaty which may be recognised as contrary to existing treaties.

"The incident may now be regarded as closed.

"Please accept, Mr. President, the assurance of our high consideration, etc."

The Note was signed by the representatives of the ten Powers.

RUSSIA'S FOREIGN DEBT.

ATTEMPTS TO EVADE ISSUE.

PARIS, Sunday.

The Correspondent of the Havas Agency at Genoa telegraphs this evening as follows:—The seven experts forming the Sub-Committee of the Commission on Russian Affairs met to-day, under the presidency of Sir L. Worthington Evans.

M. Seydoux, the French representative, proposed that the report of the London Experts should be discussed, article by article.

The Soviet representatives opposed, asking that the report should provisionally be put on one side, and a debate commenced on the Note addressed by M. Tchitcherin to Mr. Lloyd George.

M. Seydoux said that there could not be any conditional procedure. Before a question of any financial aid to Russia could be discussed the Soviet Government must clearly state its views upon the manner in which it intends to indemnify the creditors of Russia. A discussion upon the first articles of the London report would serve to enlighten the Committee upon this subject.

All the experts, except the Russians, approved the French proposition, and the Committee proceeded with the examination of the first seven articles of the London Agreement, which refer to the financial obligations of Russia.

Regarding certain of the articles, the Russian experts raised objections, which were listened to with attention. However, the Committee decided that these objections must take the form of counter-proposals, or written amendments, and be presented at the next meeting of experts.

The Committee gave the Russian representatives to understand that while they were ready to listen to *bona fide* suggestions, they were resolved to oppose arguments put forward only in order to postpone definite decisions.

"THE ESSENTIAL REQUISITE."

GENOA, Sunday.

The Financial Commission has recommended for adoption by the Conference the following resolutions:—

(1) That the essential requisite for the economic reconstruction of Europe is the achievement by each country of the stability of the value of its currency.

(2) That banks, and especially banks of issue, should be free from political pressure, and should be conducted solely on lines of prudent finance, and that in countries where there is no central bank of issue such bank should be established.

Resolution 3 deals with currency reform on the lines of continuous co-operation of the central banks of issue, or banks regulating the credit of their respective countries, and suggests an early meeting of representatives of the central banks with a view to considering this recommendation.

Resolution 4 draws attention to the desirability of a common standard of currency for all European countries.

Resolution 5 affirms that gold is the only common standard which all European countries could at present agree to adopt.

Resolution 6 says that it is to the general interest that the European Governments should declare now that the establishment of a gold standard is their ultimate object, and should agree upon a programme and the way in which they intend to achieve it.

No. 7 deals with the urgency of balancing the State Budgets, without which no currency reform is possible, and no approach to the establishment of a gold standard can be made. Reduction in Government expenditure is declared to be the true remedy.

No. 8 states that the next step will be to determine and fix the gold value of the monetary unit.

With regard to the question of exchange, the resolution condemns all artificial control of operations in exchange, and recommends the abolition of such control at the earliest possible date.

FINNISH-GERMAN AGREEMENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

It is semi-officially announced that an agreement was signed in Berlin yesterday by representatives of the Finnish and German Governments. The agreement regulates the urgent economic questions between the two countries, and contains a declaration pledging both parties to early negotiations for the conclusion of an economic convention on a broader basis.—(Reuter.)

FROM TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

KILLING TRADE

RUINOUS TAXATION.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

Unfortunately, the business world has fallen into the error of assuming that what is clear as the noontide sun to it is also manifest to His Majesty's Government. Otherwise it would surely have been recognised that the jeopardy into which the profligate expenditure of the Government has brought the country justified vigorous agitation in every constituency in Great Britain. The issue is perfectly clear.

With Imperial and local taxation at its present level there is no incentive to commercial enterprise, the proceeds of which, if successful, are largely taken by the State. The cost of production is greatly increased, the purchasing power of the public is seriously diminished, and the way is rendered easy for foreign competition not only in these islands, but in the markets overseas. The economic remedy is as clearly indicated as the source of the trouble. Sir Robert Horne has a difficult task before him, but its difficulty lies in forcing his colleagues to face the realities of the situation rather than in devising means to reduce taxation. The only sound path to reduced taxation is reduction in expenditure.

FRANCE AND GENOA.

THE EXECUTION OF THE TREATY.

The Times in a leading article observes:—It is earnestly to be hoped that the grave character of the speech which the French Prime Minister made yesterday will be generally understood. M. Poincaré does not, indeed, say anything that is new on the fundamental principles of French policy. "All we ask," he says, "is the execution of the Treaty." The gist of the Treaty is that Germany shall pay for the actual damage she has done, and that she shall be "definitely reduced to military impotence"; in other words, that she shall be deprived of the power of renewed aggression against her neighbours.

Neither of those ends has yet been accomplished. France is convinced that her salvation depends on their accomplishment, and she is determined that they shall be accomplished. The execution of the Treaty, M. Poincaré holds, and his countrymen hold with him, is the "question of the peace of Europe, of our national prosperity, of our future." He agrees with us that the German-Bolshevist Treaty has created "a new fact," which the Allies will have to examine, together with its effects on the Treaty of Versailles and upon the future peace of Europe.

The new situation which arises from it may compromise, and may even upset, "the equilibrium of Europe." Neither consortiums of bankers nor sagacious advice upon exchange or transport, nor even huge international conferences, can restore what it has undone. The Allies must do that, and do it by other means. They can do it by acting together upon the great principles for which they fought—the principles of right, of liberty and the spirit of modern civilisation.

Mr. Lloyd George, we rejoice to see, is said to have declared yesterday that the Conference would be a failure unless it brings France and England into the closest relationship. That is the right note, the voice of the only true statesmanship, the only practical and far-seeing wisdom. There can be no reconstruction in Europe, and there can be no assured peace in Europe, without the cordial and active support of our French Allies.

GREEK ARMY THREAT.

SEPARATE GOVERNMENT OF IONIA.

We have received the following from a well-informed source, states *The Times*:—There is good reason to believe that the Greek Army in Asia Minor is likely to form a separate Government of Ionia (Hinterland of Smyrna) on the same general lines as the Angora Government, unless the *Entente* Powers furnish better guarantees for minorities than the League of Nations, which does not possess an armed force capable of protecting them.

The King and the Athens Government have been warned that opposition on their part will have disastrous results. There is also reason to believe that a reconciliation between the Royalist and Venizelist military elements is impending, and there are indications that M. Venizelos, himself, while not co-operating with the King, is working on parallel lines with him, as is the Œcumenical Patriarch.

PASSION FOR GOLF.

PLEA OF "LEGAL CRUELTY."

Mrs. Howard B. Lee, the wife of a prominent business man, of Detroit, is suing her husband for divorce on the ground that he has become a "golf maniac," states *The Times* New York Correspondent. Mrs. Lee declares that her husband neglected herself and their three children and his business in order to indulge his passion for the game.

The distress of mind she has suffered through this neglect amounts, she contends, to legal cruelty. The respondent denies his wife's charges of neglect. He admits that he plays a great deal of golf, but says that the game is a "business asset," owing to the "valuable acquaintanceships" he is able to make on the links.

DEATH OF LADY STAMFORDHAM.

We regret, says *The Times*, to announce the death of Lady Stamfordham, which occurred at St. James's Palace yesterday, and of Sir Henry Erle Richards, K.C., K.C.S.I., Chichele Professor of International Law and Diplomacy at Oxford, and formerly Legal Member of Council in India, which occurred on Sunday night at his residence at Foxcombe Hill, near Oxford.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

ACTIVE MARKETS.

Stock Markets were very active yesterday, says *The Times*, but the tendency was by no means uniform. The terms offered to holders of the short-dated National War Bonds had a stimulating effect on the gilt-edged market, causing a sharp advance in the Conversion Loan. An active business was passing in Foreign Bonds, and prices on the whole were firm. In the Miscellaneous section Shipping Securities advanced further. Paris selling was responsible for the dulness of South African Shares, and Oil Shares and Argentines Railway Securities were offered.

TO-DAY'S RACING SELECTIONS.

NEWMARKET.

SPORTSMAN.	MAN ON THE SPOT.
2. 0—Prince Heron.	Radian.
2.30—Brown Rajah or Pharos.	Wheel of Life.
3. 0—Le Roi or Chivalrous.	Chivalrous.
3.30—Brown Rajah; if absent, Clotho.	Portlight.
4. 0—Craigangower; if absent, Triumph.	Triumph.
4.30—Spithead.	Mistaken.
5. 0—Sinnatus.	Sinnatus.
SPORTING LIFE.	**MAN ON THE SPOT.**
2. 0—Lacrosse, nap.	Lacrosse.
2.30—Rosecomb.	Pharos, nap.
3. 0—Welsh Woman.	Le Roi.
3.30—Clotho.	Portlight.
4. 0—Harpenden.	Triumph; if absent, Poisoned Arrow.
4.30—Mistaken.	Thasos.
5. 0—Pombal.	Catalini.

WORCESTER.

SPORTSMAN.	MAN ON THE SPOT.
1.45—Black Magic.	Boyne Water.
2.30—Henry Martin.	Henry Martin.
2.50—Ullswater or Tedney.	Golden Chestnut.
3.30—Shancabac.	Bedford Row.
4. 0—Garron Tower or Anytime.	Swivel.
4.30—White House.	Phaco.
SPORTING LIFE.	**MAN ON THE SPOT.**
1.45—Frills.	Nonchalante, nap.
2.20—Bilsthorpe.	Bilsthorpe.
2.50—Charles Lever.	Benediction.
3.30—Torpedowake.	Second Fiddle.
4. 0—Miss Micawber.	Udan.
4.30—Phaco.	Suisus.

KERRY AND THE TREATY.

MR. COLLINS IN "THE KINGDOM."

SCENES IN KILLARNEY AND TRALEE.

Mr. Michael Collins visited the County Kerry at the week-end, and, despite the most determined opposition that has yet been shown to him, addressed successful meetings in Killarney on Saturday and in Tralee on Sunday.

The earlier stages of the Killarney meeting were marked by several events of an exciting kind, but peace was restored by a number of local clergymen.

TRALEE MEETING.

RAILWAY LINES TORN UP.

At Tralee on Sunday close on 4,000 people assembled, notwithstanding the efforts of an obstructing party to prevent the meeting. During the preceding night all the roads leading to the town had been blocked, railway lines torn up, and telegraphic and telephonic communications severed. Special trains had been arranged to run from Dingle, Killarney, Kenmare, and Newcastle West, but only the Dingle train succeeded in reaching its destination. Sections of the other lines had been torn up at various points, and intending passengers, after waiting for several hours, finally learned that the train had been cancelled. Virtually every road leading to the town had been heavily obstructed, and in a number of cases the occupants of motor cars going to the meeting had to complete their journey on foot.

At several points obstructions were removed early on Sunday morning by regular forces of the I.R.A., but these obstructions were replaced during the afternoon. As a result a number of people who had travelled to the meeting were unable to complete their journey homeward until late on Monday morning. Despite these attempts to suppress the gathering almost 4,000 people had assembled in the market place before 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Collins was accorded an enthusiastic reception. He was accompanied by General McKeown, Messrs. Kevin Higgins, and Finian Lynch.

The efforts to prevent the meeting were vigorously denounced from the pulpit at Saint John's Roman Catholic Church in the morning by Dean O'Leary, who claimed the right of free speech, free meetings, and free voting by the people. He deplored the action of irresponsible youths who were trying to prevent people pursuing their rights of citizenship, and claimed for all the freedom to go about and breathe freely God's air in their own land.

His remarks evoked applause, an unheard of incident within the church in all its history, and he waved his hands to suppress the applause.

Mr. Collins and his colleagues witnessed the remarkable incident, which created a profound impression, which will not be without its effect in the coming elections.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

WHAT THE TREATY SECURES.

Mr. Sugrue, Chairman of the Kerry County Council, and a well-known Gaelic writer, presided at the meeting.

Mr. Collins, at the outset of his speech, was interrupted by a number of young men who gathered at the outskirts of the crowd. He met them with good humour and quick repartee, and after a comparatively short time these interrupters melted away.

Mr. Collins, who was greeted with enthusiastic and sustained cheering, opened his address by quoting from the *Kerry Leader* four questions which that paper stated were repeated from a pamphlet issued by Mr. Barton, at one time a co-signatory of his, and still a co-signatory of his, but who was now, he supposed from his greater knowledge, on the other side. The first question was, "Is it true that Mr. Collins and his fellow-delegates were instructed at the meeting of the Dail Cabinet on December 3rd to present the Cabinet proposals document as Document No. 2 once more to the British delegation?" The reply to that question was that on December 2nd, when they came back, they had an all-day sitting of the Cabinet. Mr. Barton and Mr. Childers returned to the Cabinet the following morning.

A Voice—What about your promises?

Mr. Collins—Were you ever in a position to promise anything? (Laughter.) Proceeding, he said that when they went back they found that there was a document drafted by Mr. Barton and Mr. Childers for presentation to the British authorities. It embodied, as far as they could see, the decision of the Dail Cabinet. That document was put before the authorities, and in that document was Mr. de Valera's oath of allegiance, and it was all very well for Mr. Barton or the *Kerry Leader* to say that it was an oath put across the table.

"We put it across the table," declared Mr. Collins, "and we cannot go back of it either."

The next question was, "Did they definitely promise not to sign any document promising allegiance to the English Monarch without first returning to consult the Cabinet?" Not one of the plenipotentiaries when they gathered together in their own house in London that night ever raised this question. The next question was, "Having arrived in London, did Mr. Collins or Mr. Duggan absolutely and definitely refuse to go to Downing street to present the Cabinet proposals?"

"No," said Mr. Collins, "we did not definitely refuse. We put it like this, and there are members of the Dail Cabinet who will bear me out in this. Fault was found that Mr. Barton was not attending the Conferences, and when they had this document I said, 'Go on now with both; go ahead and see what you can do.' That is the reason that I did not go, and my staying away got better proposals than we would get otherwise, because they thought that I was going to take the field against them again." (Loud cheers.)

TREATY OR ALTERNATIVE?

PEACE OR WAR?

Continuing, Mr. Collins said that they were there to ask the acceptance of the Treaty or the alternative, which was a renewal of conflict on the old unequal terms with Britain. When the Dail accepted the Treaty Mr. de Valera took the only possible course and resigned. Speaking in Rathmines on Thursday night last Mr. de Valera said, "the Provisional Government had no power as far as Ireland was concerned," and said, further, that "it would not be rebellion to stand up against them for exercising any authority they did not get from Dail Eireann, and thus maintain the will of Dail Eireann and of the Irish people." In the same speech Mr. de Valera said that "the supreme authority in Ireland under the Treaty was the British Parliament," and he pointed out that "the great difference between the Treaty and this Document 2 with external association was that the latter meant that authority could not be exercised over Ireland." That is good. What fools they were. What fools their fathers were. What fools their grandfathers were. What fools all the previous generations of Irishmen were that they did not think of these words "External Association," for these words meant that authority could not be exercised over them. Let them not be fooled by these words. It was not by any verbal formula that Britain preserved her power over them there. It was by the forces she had there—by the agents and administrators she had there.

Mr. Collins asked them to regard the Treaty from a clear standpoint. Since this campaign against the Treaty started, he had heard a great deal of unpleasant accusations, talk of disestablishing the Republic, subverting the Republic, giving away something that had been fought for for 750 years. There were veiled suggestions about Castlereagh, and a good deal about Grattan's Parliament. Let them contrast the power of the Irish people under Grattan's Parliament with the powers which the Irish people had now secured under the Treaty. To-day the people were in supreme control of every department of State. Three months ago they were asked to vote away a Parliament that gave fifty times more power than did Grattan's Parliament, and gave it, not to one small anti-Irish faction, but to all the people of Ireland.

The opponents of the Act of Union refused to give the Irish electors of that day an opportunity of expressing their opinions on the question. "In the Dail last January, when it looked as if the Treaty might be defeated, we appealed to our opponents to say if they would, in that case, allow the Irish people a voice in the matter at the polls," said Mr. Collins. "They refused to give any such promise. You know how concerned they are to-day about the vote." He would leave it to them, the people of Kerry, to say if it was those who stood to-day for the Treaty were following in the footsteps of Castlereagh, or whether they were restoring something that their fathers and grandfathers prayed would be restored in order that their people might again have the chance of controlling their own destiny.

Under the Treaty the Irish people would have absolute and complete control of the taxation of the country, and it would rest with the Irish people, and with them only, to determine through their own Parliament what the rate of income tax will be, what the rates of Customs and Excise duties would be, and, in general, what alterations should be made in the system of taxation which the British Government applied to this country. They all looked forward to reducing the weight of taxation, and they knew that when the Government of the country was settled the country could be run at less cost than under the old *régime*. But they must have peace first. The present state of affairs was threatening the trade of the country on the one hand, and was adding to the expenditure of the country on the other. So long as the present troubles continued, so long would the trade of the country be prejudiced, and interference with trade diminished their prosperity and made it difficult to lower taxation. There was no reason why this country should not become one of the most prosperous in Europe, if its industries were encouraged and its manufactures increased and extended, but to do that dissension at home must cease, and all Irishmen must join together and give a helping hand. Then, and then only, could they expect to reduce taxation.

He wanted to say one word about the present position. "We ourselves," he continued, "are now responsible for the charging and collection of all taxes—income tax, Customs and Excise, death duties, stamp duties, excess profits duty, corporation profits tax, etc., and all the moneys received now from these taxes are paid over to the Provisional Government, and will be available for the Irish Parliament about to be elected to use for the benefit of the country." There had been in the past such strong opposition to paying British taxes that he wanted to emphasise now that not one penny of any of the taxes which were being collected went to the benefit of the British Government. Every payment of tax now made is Irish money, paid into Irish hands, was to be used solely for Irish purposes. It was of the highest importance that this fact should be realised, and that all outstanding taxes should be paid without delay.

HARD WORK AND ECONOMY.

In their manifesto the Labour party said . . . "the country would not to-day have to bear the shame of seeing hungry, unclad children in our towns and countryside, nor would workless men be found wandering in thousands hopeless through the streets or enrolling in armies to obtain the means to live." It was only by payment of taxation, by having the backing of the revenue that they could make even a start to alter these things; and, remember, it was in their own hands. It was, he knew, of concern to them all to see the economic distress ended. It would not be ended while they avoided the duties and responsibilities of citizenship. It would not be ended while the Dail spent a couple of hours arguing as to whether they should talk in the University College or in the Mansion House. It would only be ended by general hard work, by rigid economy, and by restoration of confidence.

Could anyone regard with equanimity the agricultural conditions in Ireland at the present moment? Could anyone regard with equanimity the condition of the smaller farmers and the circumstances which faced them? These things were immediate things that could be attended to, and they could be attended to all the more satisfactorily if those who were willing to do it were given a chance to do it. To save the country economically at the present time needed the brains and muscle of every Irishman and Irishwoman.

While the meeting was in progress two or three revolver shots were fired on the outskirts of the crowd, but nobody was injured, and no panic ensued, the meeting being carried to a successful conclusion without further incident. Messrs. McKeon, Finian Lynch, and Kevin O'Higgins also spoke.

The Rev. Father Brennan told the meeting that that morning he had been "held up" by young men with revolvers. They had tried to prevent his attendance at the meeting, but he told them that he would not tolerate such blackguardism.

AT KILLARNEY.

ARMED OPPOSITION.

Mr. Michael Collins visited Killarney on Saturday afternoon and, after considerable opposition, addressed two very successful meetings.

Mr. Collins and his party left Kingsbridge early on Saturday morning, and had an uneventful journey until Headford Junction was reached. Here the gates were found to be locked across the railway line. This obstruction was got through by Commandant McKeon, who smashed the locks. Further on a goods wagon was on the line, but, notwithstanding this and other small obstructions, the train reached Killarney only an hour late.

A proclamation forbidding the meeting was posted up in the town, stating that the meeting would not be allowed as the Free State Army was entering the county in a provocative manner.

At the station an officer of the I.R.A. (Executive) met Mr. Collins, and warned him that his meeting would not be allowed until a certain incident at Listowel was explained. Nevertheless, Mr. Collins, with Commandant McKeon, Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, and Mr. Finian Lynch, went on towards the town.

A platform had been erected, but it was set on fire and burned. At the market place a further threat was made by I.R.A. from the Railway Hotel. They carried arms, and one was seen with a Thompson gun. Through the intervention of a Franciscan priest, the menace was withdrawn.

A further attempt was made to prevent the meeting by holding up a brake which was intended to take the place of a platform.

Later Commandant McKeon approached an armed cordon in the street, and protested his right to proceed. He demanded the right of the people to free speech. Some Franciscan priests joined in the conversation, and afterwards the armed men withdrew to the Market Place, and took up a position there.

Afterwards Mr. Collins, followed by a large crowd, went into the grounds of the Franciscan Church, where the meeting was held without further interruption. Rev. P. J. Fitzgerald, Administrator, presided.

FAMILIAR SIGHTS.

THE PUBLIC'S OFFENCE.

Mr. Collins, in the course of his speech, referred to the now familiar sights of meetings broken up, citizens arrested, and newspapers suppressed.

But, he said, it is not the old enemy who is now doing these things. You all know that there is not an R.I.C. man nor an Auxiliary policeman in the whole of Munster. There is not a British soldier operating in the whole of Munster, and soon there will not be one of these left either. It is some of our people who have taken to imitating the enemy. We have had inciting inflammatory speeches from many of our former colleagues, including our former leader. We now see a section of our countrymen turning against their own people the same weapons you had all learned to detest at the hands of the British. And it is in the name of the Irish Republic that these things are done.

What offence have the people committed against those who now threaten them? What offence have they committed against our former colleagues and against our former leader? What have they done to earn from them this new intimidation, this new interference, this new violence, just at a time when we had got rid of the old tyranny, and were looking forward to a period of peaceful development to do all we wanted to do in Ireland? Is it because you are not willing to allow our opponents to think for you? Is that your offence? Is it because you will not allow their decision to be your decision? Is it because you claim the simple right to think for yourselves? Is it because of these things that you are to be denied the right to express your own thoughts or give effect to your own decisions at all? Our country is in a condition to-day that makes everyone who loves her feel ashamed. And there is no need for it, and no excuse for those who are responsible.

Now, let us look back as dispassionately as possible to what happened from July last. It was recognised then by all that we had not arrived at the stage when we could get an independent republic, for, in the words of Mr. Barton, "We had not succeeded in beating the overwhelmingly superior British forces out of Ireland." In July last there were many parts of Ireland where the British forces could operate without the slightest interference. There were some parts where they could operate with difficulty. There were no parts where they could not operate by even small concentration of their numbers. We had made a good fight for our

ideals. We might say it was in some ways the best fight made in our history. We had not beaten the British. But neither had they beaten us. That was the position.

THE LONDON AGREEMENT.

Dail Eireann selected five plenipotentiaries to go to London under very express terms of reference, namely, to see how the association of Ireland with the nations of the British Commonwealth could be reconciled with Irish national aspirations. No reasonable person will say that these terms of reference were equivalent to demanding recognition of the Irish Republic. That is the simple truth. We were sent to make a good peace if we could. We were not sent to ask for, or to bring back, a republic. We went over to get freedom for Ireland, the fullest measure we could, compatible with the recognition of our own rights. But there was no question of bringing back our independence in the form of a republic. The English refused to negotiate with us at all on that basis, and the Dail Cabinet and the Dail itself acquiesced. You will all remember that Mr. de Valera has declared that he regarded his oath to the Republic as meaning simply that he was to do his best for Ireland in any circumstances that might arise.

And we were sent to London to do our best for Ireland in the circumstances that had arisen. And we did our best. I challenge anybody to deny that we won for Ireland such freedom as no one in the length and breadth of Ireland—north, south, east, or west—could have believed six years ago it would have been possible to win as a result of our struggle. We brought back the Treaty, and Mr. de Valera issued an Easter message to say Ireland is yours for the taking—take it. Ireland is our, undoubtedly. The Treaty has secured that position. Could Mr. de Valera have sent out such an Easter message twelve months ago, or, if he did send out such a message, would he be taken seriously? Ireland is ours. We mean to have it for the Irish; to work for it, to develop it, to restore our nation again to its position among the nations. Ireland is ours. We mean to keep it, and to allow no one to take it from us. We mean to have no aggression from outside, and we must have, if we are a people worthy of governing ourselves, no disruption from within.

The people will not allow even a former leader to take it from them or a section of the Army that helped to win it. We will allow no one to deprive us of the peace, the freedom, the security that have been won. We mean to allow no one to deprive us of the advantage and possibilities that these things give us for making our nation great.

PEOPLE AND TREATY.

Continuing, Mr. Collins said:—For some reason—God knows what reason—Mr. de Valera turned down the Peace Treaty. He liked it well enough to fashion his own proposals for peace on almost identical lines, but when the Treaty was brought back he was not satisfied. He thought he had only to say, "I won't have it," and Ireland would re-echo, "We won't have it."

That miscalculation was the beginning of all the trouble. First the Dail Cabinet said, "We will have it." Then the Dail said "We will take it." Then the people, through every channel through which they could express their views, said "We will take this Treaty." And the leaders of the opposing party were chagrined, and most of the things that have happened since can be read in the light of that chagrin. They simply could not bear the people to think for themselves. But the people felt compelled to use their own judgment when it came to a decision on their nation's destiny. Since January last there has been such a campaign as was never heard of in Ireland. First, they started with declarations that there was a constitutional way of resolving our difficulties. But that position was soon dropped, and it gave way gradually to the language of veiled threats, incitements to indiscipline, intimidation, and violence. The opposition has behaved like an ill-tempered child. You know what he does when he cannot get just his way—he breaks up the things he has treasured most. The results of the intemperate and irresponsible language of the leaders of our opponents are shown in the condition of Ireland to-day.

"Maintain the Republic." Mr. de Valera and his followers exhort us. What Republic? Do they mean the Republic we have had during the last few years with the British here—a Republic functioning incompletely, with British laws, British taxation, British stamps affixed to our cheques and agreements, paying our revenue to the British. Is that the Republic we are to maintain? A Republic during which the enemy was here hunting, imprisoning, torturing, shooting, and hanging our people. We are to tear up the Treaty, stop evacuation, invite the British back again, throw away the freedom which we can make real if we have the will to. Get back into the position we were in a year ago. Is that the opposition's idea of freedom and security? And if it is not, what is their idea? Will they tell us? And will they tell us how they propose to get their ideas fulfilled? Their ideal is already becoming associated with the language of gambling and tyranny and the actions of mutiny and violence.

My ideal remains a free, independent Ireland. And under the present arrangement with [illegible] can secure it. Let us, for goodness sake, fix our eyes and our thoughts on our own country, and make our freedom secure by setting up a free Government of our own, enacted under a Constitution that will be the expression of our freedom and our sovereignty, and that will be a credit to us before the other nations.

AFTER SIX YEARS.

MR. DE VALERA AND THE TREATY.

Mr. de Valera was the principal speaker at a Republican meeting last night in Grand Canal street, near Boland's Mill.

Alderman Murphy presided, and recalled that it was the sixth anniversary of the day when Mr. de Valera and a small force entered Boland's Bakery.

Mr. H. Boland said that they were told that they must march into the British Empire with their heads up. They could have done that 100 years ago. It was not likely that the men and women who voted for the Republic would vote to stifle it now. They were not afraid of the will of the people. They respected it and they admitted that the people had the sole and final voice in the matter. They were ready at any time to put the issue to the people, but it was their duty to see that the people were not asked to vote away their independence under a threat of immediate and terrible war.

Mr. de Valera said that the best way to commemorate the anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic was for them to affirm that night that they stood by the Republic. The rank and file of the people and of the Army were with them, and the best of the officers were with them too.

A MODERATE MAN.

THINGS FOR WHICH HE WOULD NOT TAKE RESPONSIBILITY.

He thought that it was President Griffith who said that some men were posing to be extreme now, but that the truth was that they were afraid to take the responsibility. "I have no doubt," said Mr. de Valera, "that he referred to me. I am not an extreme man. I have always regarded moderation in everything as the highest human virtue. I am, therefore, ready to admit that I am a moderate man; but it is untrue to say that I have ever shirked any legitimate responsibilities."

But President Griffith was right, Mr. de Valera said, when he said that there were certain responsibilities that he (Mr. de Valera) would not take. He would not take the responsibility of asking or leading the Irish people to give up that for which his comrades died and in virtue of which he had ever been heard of.

He was not going to ask his comrades or the Irish people to hang their heads, when it was their duty to hold them up higher than ever. Ireland was never stronger to resist Britain than she was to-day. Let no one believe anything to the contrary. The same determination that had enabled them to defy England for the last six years would enable them to defy England for another 600 years, if they had to fight for another 600 years. But they did not want to be divided among themselves. They wanted unity, but there was only one

platform on which they could have a united Ireland.

They could have that unity. It was said that they were drifting into anarchy and civil war. There is no need of that. They had an established Government. That Government was Dail Eireann, and Dail Eireann was the legitimate Government of the country. So long as that Government existed it was the Government of the Republic to which every good citizen must give obedience.

Mr. de Valera quoted from the Labour manifesto of last week a passage relative to Dail Eireann and the duty which devolved upon it of safeguarding the rights and liberties of the people, and said that he agreed with every word in it. The principles there laid down were the principles on which they could have sovereign, stable government to-morrow. Let them all, then, unite behind the Government of Dail Eireann and help it to function. If they did that they would not be in danger of civil war, but they would be starting on the road to true prosperity, and they would have genuine peace at home. (Hear, hear.)

THE TREATY.

The Articles of Agreement would not bring them peace. There was no member of Dail Eireann who tried harder for peace than he, but he saw, and asserted, that, so long as the sovereign independence of Ireland was denied, they could not have peace. It was for that reason that he rejected those proposals on the 20th July, and for that reason also Dail Eireann unanimously rejected them.

He asked the Irish people never to surrender. They were stronger than ever before, and as long as that was so he would never utter that cry. He had been to the South, West, and East, and those who told them that these Articles of Agreement found favour with the people were telling untruths. He, for one, had no fear that when the time came for the Irish people to express judgment that it would be in their favour. He believed that the final court of appeal must be the Irish people. But it was not an appeal to the sovereign people to have an election on a register which everybody knew to be rotten. He believed that the question when put to the people, and not a privileged section of the people, would be answered as it had been before. If the people did not do that they would be in a worse position than ever. It would be said that they had accepted the Free State in preference to the Republic. He appealed to them to resolve as long as they lived never to vote to become part of the British Empire.

Some years ago there was an election in England, and men of military age who objected to serve in the Army were deprived of votes. That was what England did. But President Griffith stated that their soldiers should be deprived of votes and that the conscientious objectors should get them.

There were men, said the speaker, who were determined that the Irish nation would not be misrepresented in that way.

They should tell those they were speaking to that the way to achieve freedom was not through the Articles of Agreement. It would be an unworthy surrender. There would be no peace so long as the instinct for freedom in the Irish people remained unsatisfied.

GALWAY REPUBLICANS.

ARGUMENTS AGAINST THE TREATY.

Speaking at a Republican demonstration in Galway on Sunday, Mr. de Valera said that the people of Ireland were being asked to give assent to certain Articles of Agreement between Ireland and Britain which had been signed in London last December. Those who asked them to give that assent said that they meant freedom, and others that they meant freedom to achieve freedom. He told them that they meant neither the one nor the other, and he would prove it to them.

They would easily agree with him when he asked that if they were independent would they destroy the Republic which they had set up as their independence? Would that be their first step? If they were independent would they destroy the Republic and set up a Monarchy in its place, and go to England for their monarch, and choose King George the Fifth? They knew that they would not.

If they had independence did they think that they would make their nation a subordinate province of the British Empire, and take upon themselves the burdens and the obligations of being part of the Empire? They knew that they would not. If they were independent would they cut off six counties of their country and hand them over so that they might become a British shire, and hand over those people who were as Irish as they were, and who had the same national feelings as they had, to be governed by Westminster?

If the Treaty gave them independence would they give to England four of their principal ports to be a fortress; the first trench of the British Empire, as Lloyd George recently called Ireland. They knew that they would not. If they were independent would they give England the right, whenever she wanted, by saying that she had strained relations with some foreign Power, to bring what troops she wanted back to this country? They knew that they would not.

If they were independent, would they willingly take over portion of Britain's war debts, and burden themselves with an annual payment? They knew that they would not. Therefore, those who said that the Treaty gave independence lied, because they were as intelligent as they were. By those Articles of Agreement they did become part of the British Empire. They did partition their country. They did give the principal ports to England. They did give her the right to come back again when she had strained relations, and to bring what troops she liked. They did undertake the burden of war debts; and they did give up their national individual citizenship to become British citizens.

OATH OF FIDELITY.

Acceptance of those Articles of Agreement pledged their representatives to give an oath of faithfulness and fidelity to England's King. All those things were inconsistent with the idea of independence, and, therefore, it was a lie to say that the Treaty gave them independence.

Others told them that it was freedom to achieve freedom. Thank God, they had that to-day, and what they wanted the people to do now was to stand as firmly as they had stood for the last four years in defending that right. It was pretended that they had a better chance of doing so under the Articles of Agreement. That also was wrong.

"Don't be deceived," continued Mr. de Valera, "This is not freedom to achieve freedom; it is putting before the Irish nation on the road to freedom a barrier which, I believe, is almost insurmountable." They must get their freedom, he went on, either by constitutional methods or by force. Getting it by constitutional methods meant getting it when England no longer wanted their country, because under the Articles of Agreement the Constitution was finally determined by her. Therefore, it was foolish to try to get their independence by constitutional methods in the future, as it was in the past. Four years ago they had decided to give up looking for the achievement of independence by those methods that had been used for forty years in the British House of Commons, and that failed by Carson putting guns before their votes.

PHYSICAL FORCE WEAPON.

Mr. de Valera went on to say that, therefore, they might as well say that constitutional methods of securing their freedom were out of the question until England of her own free will wanted to give them up. "One man with a gun," he declared, "does not care for a thousand men with votes, and, therefore, England said that as long as she has guns and as long as those who have guns can control you——

A Voice—When the time comes we will have them.

Continuing, Mr. de Valera said that he did not want to be misunderstood in this matter. He was talking of the force that would be against those who were seeking by constitutional methods to secure freedom. Against them would be guns. If they wanted to be free in the future they could not put aside the physical force weapon.

The constitutional method was bound by those Articles of Agreement. It was shameful for an army, an individual, or an nation to surrender when it had not been beaten. It was surrender that had been proposed to them. They had always been fighting to get rid of alien authority, and now they were asked willingly to accept it.

One of the arguments which had won the slight majority in Dail Eireann was that the British forces were evacuating the country. They were, of course, all proud to see the tricolour over the various barracks as a symbol. It was fine, but from a military point of view—the narrow, practical point of view—what did it matter? If war was forced again to-morrow by the forces who were still in the North the first thing that their soldiers would have to do would be to level them, because they would be death-traps. The Treaty differed in only one detail from the proposals which were unanimously rejected by the Dail last July.

The only change was the trade clause. That was important, he would admit, and an improvement; but it was not for trade that they had fought, but to get rid of the English. They had been asked what was their alternative. They said that the alternative was to hold firm. It was not for this or that form of constitution that they were fighting. They were not disagreeing with their opponents as to the internal constitution. What they were fighting for was the right of the Irish people to have any constitution that they pleased without any limitations. They did not want the limitations of the Treaty, and they were fighting to remove them.

THE JULY PROPOSALS.

Mr. de Valera addressed a meeting of 1,500 and a large force of the I.R.A. in Tuam on Saturday. Mr. Concannon, solicitor, presided.

Mr. de Valera, in the course of his speech, said that somebody had said that it was Michael Collins who caused the evacuation. It was not. It was the fight that was put up throughout the war by the men who made it impossible for the units of that Government, and it was the will of the people not to be governed by outside people.

The point was, if they made the game not worth the candle, England would be inclined to give up all things and go out of Ireland. The proposals that they rejected in July because of the inclusion in the British Empire, and the Articles of Agreement were, in principle, the very same. The only difference was that the trade clause was improved. In substance, the Treaty did not mean peace. It meant certain war again; it meant further irritation, further bitterness, between the Irish people and the English. He had been more bitter against England than ever he was in his life, because Lloyd George had acted the bully, and presented, so to speak, a pistol at the head of this small nation's representatives. He hated bullies, and he hated England from his very soul for that bullying.

If they accepted this Treaty they would be torn at home among themselves. It had already brought them to the verge of civil war. If he was told that there would certainly be war, and that England would again rule them, he would not sign the agreement, because he would prefer Britain to fight a united nation than have one half of the country fighting the other half. The Treaty would not bring them the stability which business men and farmers were anxious for. They would not be able to establish a stable Government in Ireland upon any basis, except the basis of Irish independence. They would have a far more stable Government by Dail Eireann taking over the running of the country, as they did before, and by forgetting all about these Articles of Agreement. They would not escape from the bully by running away from him.

BELFAST SHIP RAIDED.

ATTEMPT TO SET IT ON FIRE.

WATCHMAN WOUNDED.

In the early hours of Saturday morning an attempt was made to burn the steamer, Rathlin Head, belonging to the Ulster Steamship Company, while berthed at Sir John Rogerson's quay, Dublin. The vessel had come from New Orleans to Dublin, *via* Belfast.

The raid was carried out at one o'clock in the morning by 50 armed men, who rushed up the gangway on to the deck, some of them armed with rifles and others with revolvers. The watchman, James Hawthorne, was ordered to put up his hands, and was then taken on to the quay, where three of the men were left in charge of him.

Hawthorne, however, made a run to get away from his captors, when he was fired at and slightly wounded above the eye and in the chin. He succeeded, however, in effecting his escape, and took refuge on another vessel, where he remained until daybreak.

Members of the I.R.A. stationed at the South Wall turned out on hearing the shots, and saw flames on the ship. The fire was caused by petrol, which had been sprinkled on the deck by the raiders, and it was extinguished by the crew before any damage had been done.

On Saturday afternoon the Rathlin Head was towed by Port and Docks Board tugs from Sir John Rogerson's quay to a berth at the Alexandra Basin, North Wall, where she is to complete her discharge of cargo.

BOARDS SUPPRESSED.

ONLY ONE LEFT IN SOUTH DOWN.

Newry and Kilkeel Boards of Guardians and Rural Councils (three) and Newry and Warrenpoint Urban Councils have been dissolved by the Northern Parliament. Major Bush, Major McCormick, and Major Rosborough have been appointed to carry out the duties of the various boards.

The business of Newry Guardians and District Council was transacted by Major Bush on Saturday morning. Considerable forces of armed "Specials" were on duty both inside and outside the workhouse.

The only member of the District Council who attended was Mr. William Bradford, a veteran Unionist. He congratulated Major Bush on his appointment, and said that he had long told his colleagues that he would live to see the day when they would be kicked down the stairs.

A motion stood on the Guardians' agenda in the name of Mr. D. Sheridan, the chairman—"That in future all minutes be sent to Dail Eireann, Dublin, and not to Belfast." The motion, needless to say, was neither proposed nor seconded.

Major McCormick presented himself at the offices of the Newry Urban Council in the Town Hall, and, having shown his credentials, after a chat with the Town Clerk, left the building, over which a guard was subsequently placed.

The only "popularly" elected board carrying on work now in South Down is Newcastle Urban Council, on which there is a Unionist majority.

KEADY.

Keady Urban Council was dissolved by the Northern Government on Friday, and Colonel Waring was appointed as Commissioner to administer the affairs of the district. All the officials have agreed to act under Colonel Waring, and the books are being kept under guard in the Town Hall.

A considerable sum of money is due by the Council on foot of loans, and this they refused to pay to the Northern Government. It will be remembered that the Council pledged allegiance to Dail Eireann last year and refused to recognise the Northern authority.

BORDER OUTRAGE.

HOW COMMISSIONERS' CARS WERE SEIZED.

Further particulars of the "hold up" of the *Liaison* Commission in the Clogher district of Tyrone on Friday afternoon show that at least twenty-four men, armed with rifles and revolvers and four Thompson machine guns, surrounded the cottage at Cullamore, where Colonel Bates, Colonel Sutton, and Lieutenant Bolton were in conference. The officers were ordered not to leave for half an hour.

Another party surrounded the five soldiers who were in attendance on the members of the Commission, and seized the motor cars—a Vauxhall and a Sunbeam.

When told by the officers that they were the Border Commission the raiders said that they did not care who they were.

PRINCE IN YOKOHAMA.

ALLIES' MEMORIAL UNVEILED.

TOKIO, Saturday.

The Prince of Wales was favoured with brilliant and warm sunshine for his visit to Yokohama. Large crowds of citizens and school children were early astir, lining the streets leading from the station to the Bluff to witness the naval pageant, and as His Royal Highness drove through the streets the cheers that filled the air proved unmistakably that by his kindly nature and genuine interest and sympathy he has achieved the same success in winning the hearts of these usually undemonstrative people as he has done in every other part of the world that he has visited.

On the platforms at the entrance to the cemetery on the Bluff, where the Allied Memorial Arch has been erected, was a large assemblage of Cabinet Ministers, Allied Ambassadors, notables from Tokio and Yokohama, relatives of fallen soldiers, ex-Service men, Guides, and foreign residents. On arriving the Prince inspected the Naval guard of honour consisting of a hundred men from the Renown, and received the Memorial Committee.

Replying to the address of the Chairman of the Memorial Committee, the Prince said, in a voice clearly heard by all present—"I regard it as a special honour to have been asked to dedicate this memorial commemorating the gallant men of the Allied and associated nations who left these shores to fight with their own kith and kin in the cause of liberty and justice, and I am glad of the opportunity that the ceremony affords me of expressing in some way my deepest sympathy with the bereaved. It is fitting that the memorial of such an international character should be erected in this great port of call, where it will serve as an inspiration to future generations who, coming here will find in the names of their fellow-countrymen the record of the sacrifice which they paid in the hope that wars should cease throughout the world. Let us pray that they did not die in vain."

The Prince then unveiled the memorial, which takes the form of a handsome granite gateway to the foreign cemetery on the Bluff. Attached to it are two wings to accommodate bronze tablets bearing the names of the men of the foreign communities in Japan who fell in the Allied cause.

Of these names two are British, fifteen French, and seven American.

The naval buglers sounded the Last Post, and an impressive one minute's silence followed. The ceremony was brought to a close by the sounding of the Reville, after which the Prince chatted for some time with the relatives of the fallen and ex-Service men, and then left amid the cheers of the whole company.

THE PEOPLE'S PROTEST.

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ing revolvers and saying—"That is my authority, and if you do not like it you will get it."

The Labour Party wanted to put the responsibility for the whole situation on the proper shoulders. They wanted send a message to the present and late members of Dail Eireann, and those responsible for the Government of Ireland, their wish that both sections of the Republican Army should come together under one common command, and exercise discipline from the top of the Army down to the latest recruit.

Mr. T. Foran, President Irish Labour Party, said that there were more armed men going around than there had been for the past four years, and all their attention appeared to be on the destruction of one another. They were out to tell the people who were responsible that they were not going to have war among themselves to please anybody. If there was going to be war, the Irish Labour Party would see that it was for something substantial at any rate. The working classes had suffered too much during the war to engage in fighting among themselves.

THE FIGHT.

They had refused to handle ammunition in the past for the destruction of their own countrymen, and they were not going to be less effective in this fight which was in front of them. The army people should compose their differences.

Miss Chenevix, Irish Women's Workers' Union, said that they were out for freedom in the fullest sense of the word—freedom for every man, woman, and child in Ireland.

Mr. J. T. O'Farrell, Irish Railway Clerks' Association, said that previous protests by general stoppage were against the British Government's efforts to enforce conscription and in support of the political prisoners. That day's protest against their own countrymen made one feel grieved and humiliated at being forced to take drastic action in support of civil freedom almost immediately a measure of power had passed into the hands of their own people.

At present Ireland was the most militarised country in Europe in proportion to population. There were soldiers and would-be soldiers everywhere in uniform, in mufti, and in possession of stolen motor cars. There were deeds of violence, the muzzling of the Press, and the suppression of free speech, and there existed in many places a state of insecurity, alarm, and despair hardly exceeded in the worst days of the Black-and-Tan *régime*. It was time to call a halt to this nefarious work. They could not tolerate a state of affairs where a man with a gun could go out and help himself to the best of food and clothes, while thousands of willing workers could not obtain employment or food, clothing, or shelter for themselves and their starving families. Unless they were to revert to barbarism, the army must be re-united, reduced to a reasonable strength, and brought under the control of a civil authority appointed by and responsible to the people.

Mr. L. Duffy, Distributive Workers, said that they believed the people of this country were competent to govern themselves without the use of arms. If the people united in their full strength and put men of good-will in charge of the implements of government there was nothing to prevent them governing this country as they liked. There should be an army for the protection of Irish interests, but there was no need for an army to interfere with local domestic affairs.

PEACE CONFERENCE.

LABOUR'S PROPOSALS.

Alderman William O'Brien, who presided at Platform No. 3, also denounced the bogus Treaty. He said that they were met on the occasion of one of the gravest crises in the life of the Irish nation, for the issues at stake lay at the foundation of their national existence. For the past eight or nine years, as a nation, they had been leading a strenuous life, and had seen more history made than, perhaps, in the last century. Never before was the settlement of the Irish question more generally recognised throughout the world to be an international one, imperatively demanding that the claim of the Irish people to manage their own affairs without interference be conceded. They had now arrived at a point where a false move might lose all that has been gained in the past, by the example and self-sacrifice of the past few years.

The situation now demanded of their best thought so as to secure and hold the maximum of national freedom. The Labour Party had always been in support of the fullest national freedom, realising that it was only through national freedom that they could press forward for that industrial and social freedom which they demanded equally with political freedom, and without which political freedom would be but a sham. In the fight the workers of Ireland had given good and loyal service, both as individuals and as an organised movement. Mr. de Valera and Mr. Griffith had each borne testimony to that fact. [illegible] fied admiration for the men of the I.R.A. Let it not be said that the mistakes were all on one side. He believed that there were honourable men and women on both sides of this controversy, whose sole desire was to do what they considered was in the best interests of Ireland's freedom. The action taken recently by the Labour movement had been necessitated by a perhaps inevitable development of the epidemic of militarism which Ireland and the rest of the world had in recent years.

Labour did not take the view of the pacifist, or non-resister, that an appeal to arms was not justified under certain circumstances. But it was not prepared to tolerate a state of affairs in which the sole right to rule was vested in the possession of a gun. (Applause.)

THE ISSUE.

Recent events had shown that Labour required its own armed force to protect it against aggression. On behalf of the organised workers, they had taken up that issue, and they had undertaken to submit certain proposals to the Conference summoned by Archbishop Byrne and the Lord Mayor. They realised the grave responsibility they had undertaken in doing so, but the life of the nation was at stake, and at worst they could but fail. With the growth of feeling between the rival parties there was grave danger that they might lose sight of the real issue, and be led astray by catch-cries and party warfare.

The problem before them required their calmest thought and judgment. The all-Ireland stoppage of work and that great demonstration would invest the Labour Party with authority to do what it could to re-establish order. They demanded freedom—the fullest possible freedom. Until political, industrial, and social freedom was secured they of the Labour Party could not regard themselves as possessing full freedom. (Applause.)

Mr. Denis Cullen said that they had every right to say that their voice should be heard in the situation which confronted the nation to-day.

Mr. Thomas Boyle said that it was impossible to carry on under existing conditions, and they of the Labour movement asked them in no half-hearted manner to show their determination to crush out militarism.

Mr. Seumas Byrne said there were children suffering from infantile paralysis and mothers from shock in consequence of the existing state of affairs.

THE POST OFFICE.

UNION'S ARRANGEMENTS.

The following statement was issued by the Irish Postal Union last evening:—

"The original arrangements of the Irish Labour Party were to the effect that the Irish Postal Union should carry out a complete stoppage of postal and telegraph work on Monday. On Saturday forenoon the Labour Party was approached by the Minister of Labour, requesting that the telegraph and telephone services should be maintained for the purpose of transmitting humane messages and essential official work. The Labour Party stated that there was no objection to this, provided that the Irish Postal Union was consulted, and agreed.

"Without consulting the Union the Postmaster-General issued instructions to all Irish post offices that the telegraph and telephone services should be kept open. In these circumstances, the Union had no option, but to countermand this instruction and to order all its members to cease work. Late on Saturday evening, Mr. Thos. Johnson, secretary I.L.P., approached the Union, and at his request an arrangement was come to as a result of which the following message was sent on Sunday to all offices:—

"'After conference between Irish Postal Union and department, following agreed upon for Monday at wish of Labour Party:—Offices to be closed for public business, and no postal or commercial telegraph or telephone business of any sort to be transacted. Facilities to be available only for official and hospital telegraph and telephone business. Provision of suitable staff to be in hands of Union.'

"(Signed),

"'O'HEGARTY, Secretary, G.P.O.,

"'HOGAN, Secretary Irish Postal Union.'

"The Irish Postal Union took charge in the various centres throughout the day, and the specified services were satisfactorily maintained."

KINGSTOWN'S PROTEST.

A Labour demonstration, which was attended by 2,000 workers, was held in Kingstown yesterday afternoon. Headed by two bands, the men walked in procession through the town from Blackrock to Dalkey, and thence to the Library steps, Kingstown, where a meeting was held.

A resolution was, on the motion of Mr. Liam Hegarty, Postal Workers' Union, unanimously passed, supporting the National Executive of the Irish Trades Union Congress and Labour Party in their condemnation of military tyranny, and pledging unanimous support to the National Executive in whatever means they may adopt to enable the worker peacefully to pursue his daily avocation.

"Military tyranny," the resolution added, "is the worst form of government in any country; and we demand freedom of speech, freedom of the Press, and adequate protection of life and property by the elected Government of the country."

Mr. T. Mulvaney, Vice-Chairman of the Trades Council, presided, and, in opening the meeting, asked for the endorsement of the resolution. They wanted freedom of speech for everybody, and they wanted freedom of the Press; because, though the Press were not friends of Labour, and never were, the country that was without a Press had no civilised form of government.

Mr. Liam Hegarty proposed the resolution; and Mr. Riordan, Drapers' Assistants' Association; Mr. Joseph Byrne, Transport Union; and Mr. George Dixon also addressed the meeting.

THE ARMY ISSUE.

REPUBLIC OR BRITISH EMPIRE?

MR. RODERICK O'CONNOR'S SPEECH.

Speaking at St. Enda's, Rathfarnham, on Sunday evening, at an Aeridheacht under the auspices of the Fianna Eireann, Dublin Brigade, Commandant-General Roderick O'Connor, I.R.A., said that he hoped the Fianna would not find itself in the future in the position where the Irish Republican Army found itself that day, because, although the Army was determined at all hazards to maintain the Republic, no matter what it might cost, yet there were serious considerations before the Army. He hoped that such a split as had occurred in the Army, small as it was, would never fall to the lot of the younger men of the Irish Republic. He earnestly hoped, and it was his belief, that such a thing would not happen, as he believed that the Army would bring the fight to a very successful conclusion within a short time. (Applause.)

They had been told that they had brought forward the possibility of a civil war. He said that that was a lie, and that those who said it knew that it was. They had done their utmost to insure that the unity of the Army would not be impaired, and they had asked the authorities in Beggars' Bush to ensure that unity by agreeing to a convention of the Army. They had done more. When they occupied the Four Courts, they had communicated with Dail Eireann, and laid down their terms for peace and for unity. But these terms were not considered; they were not considered by the body that called itself the Government of the Irish Republic. Those who talked of civil war should realise that if the Army were all in one camp—that if, instead of having on the one side nearly 90 per cent., that side were comprised of 100 per cent of the Army—there could not be civil war. Therefore, it was that those who were endeavouring to undermine the Army, those who were trying to seduce men who had sworn an oath of allegiance to maintain the Republic, to withdraw from their allegiance and to create another army—those were the men who would be responsible for civil war, if it ever occurred.

NO CIVIL WAR.

As far as the Republican Army could prevent it, there would be no civil war, and there could be no civil war if those who swore allegiance to the Republic stood to their oaths. (Applause.) The men of the rank and file had been induced to take an oath to defend the Republic against its enemies, foreign and domestic. Some of the men who took that oath in the higher command of the Army had repudiated it, and, like the fox that lost its tail, would like others to do the same. He knew that there were men in the Army who would face death rather than do any such dishonourable action, and who would face death if it were necessary in order to sustain the Republic. The position before them was that they had got to choose between independence and slavery; they had got to choose between sustaining the Republic and going into the British Empire. That was a clear issue that could not be confused, although others were endeavouring to confuse it. They had seen, too, the action of those who still maintained that they were Republicans, in recruiting into what they called the Republican Army men who had fought against them, men who had shot down, starved, and hanged their relatives and comrades. He said that these people were not Republicans, and, furthermore, he said that if there was to be civil war, the responsibility would lie upon them.

They had been told, too, that the Army was to be maintained as the Army of the Republic, and the reason for that was obvious. Mr. Griffith, who was never a Republican, and never would be, said that they would not repeat the mistake made when the Volunteers of 1782 were disbanded, that they would keep the Irish Republican Army together until England delivered the goods. That meant that the Army was to be used as a weapon to force England to agree that Ireland would be brought into the British Empire. It was not for that purpose that the Irish Republican Army was created, and he considered that in all Irish history there had not been a more dishonourable act than that—pretending to keep the Army of the Republic as such, and simply doing it to force the people of Ireland into the British Empire.

The people of Ireland had been misled and stampeded to a great extent into accepting the Articles of Agreement under the Treaty, and he challenged Mr. Griffith to prove that the people of Ireland were in favour of going into the Empire. He ventured to say that 90 per cent. of the people of Ireland that day did not understand the Treaty. Personally, he understood very little about it, but this he did understand from Mr. Griffith himself that they were to become part of the British Empire under the Treaty. (Voices, "Never.") The Press in saying that the people of Ireland were in favour of the Treaty were misrepresenting the people. The rank and file of the people were right, as they always had been, but, unfortunately, it was always the fact that the leaders were wrong. No matter how far back they went they found that the Irish people had been let down by their leaders—just as the Republicans of Ireland had been let down by Arthur Griffith, who was never a Republican.

Dealing with Mr. Griffith and the framing of the Sinn Fein Constitution in 1917, Mr. O'Connor said that it was only when Mr. de Valera came out of jail that a settlement was come to, and that the Constitution was finally approved. That settlement was that they should endeavour to establish an Irish Republic, and Ireland, having attained that status, could choose what form of Government she wished. He mentioned that in order to show that Mr. Griffith was not then a Republican and did not intend to fight for the Republic. Mr. Griffith was in the Volunteers up to April 23rd, 1916, but he did not take his stand with Pearse or Connolly on April 24th, but he saw a photograph of him carrying a rifle when the guns were being brought in from Howth. When it came to the test on Easter Monday six years ago Mr. Griffith was not in the firing line. Mr. Griffith was one of the leaders who had mis'led the Irish people. They had heard a great deal from Mr. Griffith about the freedom of the Press, but the idea of the freedom of the Press was to publish only what suited them.

SUPPORT FOR THE ARMY.

"We," said Mr. O'Connor, "took strong action against the *Freeman's Journal*, and we have never tried to conceal what we have done since the Army was reconstituted. Everything that had been done had been done openly and above board, and that is more than can be said of those who want to bring Ireland into the British Empire." In asking for support for the Republican Army Mr. O'Connor said that it was not attached to any political party; it stood for the complete independence of Ireland. The issue was clear, and the people, he believed, when asked to choose by a free election when the threat of war had been removed would choose for the Irish Republic and not for the British Empire. They had done everything in their power to avert civil war. None of them would like to have to shoot their fellow countrymen, but he would say that, personally, he would put the independence of Ireland before the life of any man in Ireland, whether he was a countryman of his own or not. He did not believe that it would come to civil war if the people of Ireland stood behind the Irish Republican Army, as it was organised that day under a Chief of Staff who perhaps had the best record of any fighting man in Ireland. (Applause.)

Commandant General Liam Mellowes, dealing with the Fianna, said that although he knew nothing of politics or political methods, they loved their country whole-heartedly, and in Easter Week acted with sacrifice and heroism

BLACK CAT CONCERT PARTY.

The Black Cat Concert Party will give a variety entertainment in the Abbey Lecture Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, to-morrow night at 7.45. This party has been very well received at many entertainments during the past few months, for it has real talent combined with enterprising management. The 11th City of Dublin Troop of Boy Scouts will give demonstrations at to-morrow's concert.

Thousands of ladies keep a box of Martin's Pills in the house. Those who use them recommend them, hence their enormous sale. Price 5s., post free. Sold by all Chemists and Stores. Prior and Co., Chemists, Londonderry, sell them, or from Proprietors, Martin, Chemists, Southampton.—(Advt.)

"THE GREEN MAN."

ENGLAND'S FIGHTING SAINT.

A GLIMPSE OF ST. GEORGE.

Major Arthur Whewell presided at the annual festival dinner of the members of the Society of St. George, Ireland, on Saturday evening at the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin.

Amongst those present were:—Sir Robert Tate, K.B.E., F., T.C.D.; Sir John Irwin, Sir James Percy, Dr. Walter J. Healy and Mrs. Healy, Mr. A. W. Hewett, Mrs. Hewett, Mr. G. H. Bailey, Mr. F. W. Giddings, Mr. E. W. Spencer, Mr. H. W. Ede, M.B.E.; Mr. J. Fairclough, Mr. A. E. Bradbury, Mr. W. Mitchell Hudson, Mr. W. G. Neale, Mr. G. F. Pilditch, Mr. C. Edbrooke, Mr. A. Beckett, Mr. J. Smalley, Dr. James Ashe, Dr. Wynne, Mr. J. G. Potter, Mr. W. R. Willis, Mr. F. A. Wyatt, Mr. A. Kelly (Hon. Secretary).

Letters of regret were received from the Lord Chancellor, Lord Granard, Mr. Andrew Jameson, Sir Gilbert Greenall, Mr. T. K. Laidlaw, and Mr. La Couse Murphy.

The toast of the King having been duly honoured,

AN HONOURED NAME.

Sir Robert Tate proposed "The Society of St. George, Ireland." They had it on the authority of one of the Popes, he said, that St. George was one of those whose names are honoured amongst men. There were some members of the Society who doubted whether their patron saint ever existed at all, but he (Sir Robert) had no doubt whatever that he did exist. St. George had not the popularity of St. Patrick in Ireland, of St. Andrew in Scotland, or St. David in Wales. These three were Churchmen; St. George was a warrior. The birthplace of St. George was uncertain, as was the date of his birth; but he was certainly an Oriental. It was probable that he was born in Palestine, about the year 270 A.D., and put to death at Nicomedia about 303—a martyr's death—under the Roman Emperor, Diocletian. He was canonised, probably, at the Council of Arles, under Constantine, 314 A.D.

The story of the dragon was not so old as the story of St. George himself. It made its first appearance in the romance known as the Golden Legend, 1258 A.D., and may be traced to the year 600. The story is represented as an Egyptian story, possibly a Christian version of Perseus and Andromeda. The saint was supposed to have killed the dragon somewhere about the shores of Palestine. St. George was claimed as an Englishman, born at or near Coventry, and it was said that the fight occurred there. Geologists, too, had proved that Great Britain was as badly infested, on the east coast, with crocodiles and alligators, as any part of the world. These legends explained in some way how St. George was transferred to England, and to have come up St. George's Channel. St. George was patron saint not only of England, but of all fighting men, soldiers and sailors, as well as of Portugal, Barcelona, Armenia, Constantinople, and Genoa. He (Sir Robert) wondered if St. George was quite as popular at Genoa as St. David was in Wales, and whether there was any slight incarnation between him and another George, who was now at Genoa. (Laughter.)

CULT OF ST. GEORGE.

If there was, they had a big dragon to fight, and he hoped George would come out of it as victorious as his prototype. (Applause.) The cult of St. George was introduced into England in the time of Richard Cœur de Lion (Richard I.). It was Edward I. who placed upon the banner of England the cross of St. George beside the arms of Edward the Confessor, but it was Edward III. who made the Saint popular when he established the Order of the Garter, and built St. George's Chapel, Windsor, about the year 1350. Another curious fact was the number of country inns in England which bore the name of St. George and "The Green Man." The latter surname attached to St. George because Lydda, where he was supposed to be born, was the only verdant spot in a wide area around.

The toast was warmly honoured.

The President said that he had learnt more about St. George that evening than he ever knew before. They would like to claim St. George as an Englishman, for he was a fighting man, and the English were a fighting race. On behalf of the members and visitors, he thanked Sir Robert Tate for his very interesting speech.

IRELAND'S OPPORTUNITY.

Mr. E. Bohane, Director of the Royal Dublin Society, proposing "Prosperity to Ireland," said that on an occasion such as this, when Ireland was passing through what they all hoped would be her most trying hour, this toast should be received with sincerity of purpose by all true lovers of the country. For a country to be prosperous, it should be well governed. Unless there was well-ordered government, industry, and thrift, the people would, to their cost, realise the consequences. To-day the country was under a cloud. He was connected with one of the oldest institutions in Ireland—the Royal Dublin Society—and, whatever one may think of it, that Society stood pre-eminent as the pioneer of the great agricultural institutions of Europe. In industries, science, and art, the R.D.S. had always played a part of which the country may well be proud. (Hear, hear.)

To-day they as Englishmen in Ireland felt that they had a duty to the country of their adoption, and that duty was to take to heart the lesson of the water-mill—"The mill will not grind with the water that is passed"—and to realise that it was "up to" everyone in this country, whether he be English, Irish, Scotch, or Welsh, to play his part in helping to build up an Ireland of which all of them should be proud. (Hear, hear.) They were, so to speak, at the birth of a new nation. In that birth difficulties had to be faced, and he felt certain that Irishmen would solve the problem that was set before them. (Hear, hear.)

As to the possibilities of Ireland, he said that it was one of the most wonderful countries in the world. Its agriculture was of the most tremendous importance. Agriculture was the world's greatest industry; it is, and would be, Ireland's greatest industry for centuries to come, and that because there was, a few miles from her shores, a teeming population that would demand the best that could be produced in Ireland—Ireland having the climate and the ability to produce it. One of the urgent needs was that of a better milk supply, and in that direction Ireland had something to learn. Wise legislation would solve that knotty problem. He appealed to the people to turn the sword into a ploughshare, to turn their face to the sun, and to plough the furrow which would bring reward to honest toil. (Applause.)

The toast was duly honoured.

OPTIMISTIC.

Sir James Percy, responding, said that the country was passing through a period of travail, but the great heart of Ireland was sound and strong. For himself, he was an optimist, and he felt that the present trouble would soon be over. He had no doubt that when the people had got an opportunity of expressing their feelings they would be found on the side of law and order and constitutional government.

"Kindred Societies" was proposed by the President, and responded to by Sir John Irwin, representing the Companions of St. Patrick, and by Mr. O. R. Williams (St. Davids).

Mr. Beckett proposed "Our Guests," to which Dr. Ashe responded.

The health of the President, proposed by Mr. Ede, was honoured in the usual way, and the company, singing "Auld Lang Syne," broke up.

A programme of song and music was contributed by Miss Kitty Fagan, Mr. Vine Sanderson, Madame Alicia Keogh, Mr. Winstanley Sullivan, Mr. Manahan, and Mr. R. E. Young. Mr. Lennox Braid was at the piano.

G.S. & W. RAILWAY.

LOSS BY CIVIL COMMOTION.

Our readers will have observed appearing in our advertising columns from day to day a notification from the G.S. and W. Railway Company that they will not hold themselves responsible for any damage or loss caused by riot, civil commotion, or by persons not under the control of the company.

Our representative ascertained that within the last month over 400 raids have been made on the company's premises or on goods and passenger trains on their journeys. Interference with goods in transit is not confined to what is known as "boycotted" traffic from the six-county area, but extends to cross-Channel traffic passing through the Port of Belfast, as well as to traffic from Dublin and through the Port of Dublin. The goods robbed and raided consist mainly of tobacco, tea, sugar, wines and spirits, drapery, and provisions. The personal effects of British military officers and demobilised police have also been interfered with. While raiding is most acute in the Tipperary area, it is also taking place in the counties of Kerry, Waterford, and Kilkenny. The loss and damage up to the present approximates to £25,000.

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U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Monday.

Stocks opened irregular with the movements much confused. Leading issues like Oils, Equipments, Steels, and investment Railroads reflected extensive realising. United States Steel Shares were affected by expectations of a poor quarterly earnings statement to-morrow. Low-priced Railroads and numerous minor specialities, however, advanced 1 to 5 points under the impulse of pool buying and optimistic expressions regarding the general trade outlook. The market closed irregular.

CLOSING PRICES.

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Fri.	Closing Bid Prices Mon.	Business Done H.	Business Done L.
118⅜	U.S. New 4% Loan....	105	105	—	—
[illegible]	Atch., Top., Santa Fe..	101¼	101	—	—
102¼	Do. Preference	91¼	91¼	—	—
113⅞	Do. 4% Con. Bonds..	100¼	101	—	—
54⅞	Baltimore & Ohio	48⅜	48	—	—
161⅞	Canadian Pacific	143	143⅞	—	—
73¼	Chesapke, Ohio Com.	65⅞	65	—	—
31⅞	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul..	28⅞	28	—	—
85⅞	Chicago & N.-West...	76⅞	73⅞	—	—
124	Do. Pref.	110	110	—	—
23⅞	Erie 1st Preferred ...	22⅞	22⅞	—	—
62	Do. 4% Gl. Lien Bds.	55	55	—	—
85	Great Northern Pref.	75⅞	75	—	—
120	Illinois Central	107	107	—	—
61	Lehigh Valley	62⅞	62⅞	—	—
134	Louisville & Nashville	118⅞	118	—	—
10⅞	Miss'ri, Kan., & Texas	7⅞	9⅞	—	—
—	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. B.	Nom.	Nom.	—	—
27⅞	Missouri Pacific New.	24⅞	24	—	—
14⅞	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	13	13	—	—
4⅞	Do. 2nd Pref.	6	5⅞	—	—
102⅞	N.Y. Cd. & Hudson R.	91⅞	91	—	—
120⅞	Norfolk & West. Com..	106⅞	107	—	—
87	Northern Pacific Com.	77⅞	77⅞	—	—
31⅞	Ontario & Western ..	28⅞	28⅞	—	—
47⅞	Pennsylvania Shares.	41⅞	41⅞	—	—
86⅞	Reading Shares	77⅞	77	—	—
48⅞	Do. 1st Preferred.....	43	43	—	—
95⅞	Do. 4% Mt. Bonds....	85⅞	85⅞	—	—
27	Southern Railway.....	24⅞	23	—	—
102⅞	Southern Pacific......	91	90⅞	—	—
39	Texas & Pacific.......	35⅞	34⅞	—	—
155⅞	Union Pacific..........	138⅞	138	—	—
85⅞	Do. Pref.	76	78	—	—
103⅞	Do 4% Bonds...........	91⅞	91⅞	—	—
11⅞	Wabash Common.......	10⅞	10⅞	—	—
36⅞	Do. Preferred A........	32⅞	32⅞	—	—
65⅞	Amr. Smlt. Refin. Com	58	57⅞	—	—
59⅞	Anaconda Copper......	53⅞	53⅞	—	—
19	Brit.-Amer. Tob........	16⅞	16⅞	—	—
130⅞	N.Y. Cons. Gas........	117	116	—	—
184⅞	General Electric.......	161⅞	163⅞	—	—
[illegible]	U.S. Steel Common ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Do. 1st Preferred ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds....	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Silver, Foreign Mined	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Do. (U.S. Mined) ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Inter. M.M. Com. Cts.	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Do. Pref. Certs.	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Royal Dutch Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Shell Transport	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Mexican Petroleum....	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	Pan-American Pet.	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	General Motors	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—
[illegible]	U.S. Rubber	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	—

*Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex Bonus. [illegible]

	Friday.	Monday.
Call Money	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ex on Ln. 60 days' st.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ex on Ln. Demand Bills	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cable Transfers	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ex. on Rome	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ex. on Montreal	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cotton, Mid., Upland	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. New Orleans Mid.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cotton Seed Oil, F. Sum. Yellow Spot	[illegible]	Unquoted
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., July	[illegible]	[illegible]
Petro., Refined, in cases	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. Standard, White	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. Philad., Stan. do.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. Pennsyl., Crude	[illegible]	[illegible]
Spirits of Turpentine	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. Savannah	[illegible]	[illegible]
Resin, Grade K	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. Grade F	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lard, Prime, West, Sim	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. Midland West	11.22—11.30	11.20—11.40
Tallow, Special	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sugar (New Cuban)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn, West. No. 2 Mix.	74⅞	73⅞
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr	160⅞	161
Do. No. 2 Red Winter	161	161
Do. No. 2 Mix. Drm.	160	160
Do. Rio No. 7	11¼	[illegible]
Flour, [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Iron, No. 2 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tin, Straits	31.75	[illegible]
Zinc, East St. Louis	5.05	5.05
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	12⅞	12⅞
Do. do. Futures, July	12⅞—13	12⅞—13
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdm., per bush.	2/0	2/0
Freight, heavy grain to Continent, per bushel	13	13
Freight, Cott. to L'pool (high density)	23	25
Do. Stand. (per 100lb.)	40	40

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Monday.

WHEAT.—Spot market easy. Both winters are 3½c. and mixed Durum 2½c. down. Exporters engaged 75 boatloads of oats. The visible supply of wheat in the United States has decreased 1,636,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 31,493,000, last year 18,513,000 bushels. The visible supply of wheat in Canada has decreased 609,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 34,347,000, last year 19,588,000 bushels. The week's export clearances from the Atlantic seaboard totals 982,000, last year 4,192,000 bushels. Receipts—Atlantic 200,000, last year 820,000; clearances 397,000, last year 1,773,000.

FLOUR quiet.

CORN.—Spot steady, ½c. up. The visible supply has decreased 4,098,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 39,068,000, last year 29,279,000. The week's export clearances from the Atlantic seaboard total 3,313,000, last year 571,000. The week's export clearances of oats totalled 624,000 bushels, last year 543,000; flour 258,000 barrels, last year 358,000. Receipts—Atlantic 263,000, last year 39,000; clearances 572,000, last year 277,000.

LARD.—Cash easy, 7½ to 10 points lower.

COFFEE opened steady, 3 points up to 1 point down. Values advanced on favourable Brazilian market news and buying by New Orleans and trade interests. A reaction set in later owing to trade interests and commission houses selling and longs liquidating, the market closing easy at 12 to 5 points fall. Spot easy, ½ lower. Stocks of Brazilian coffee total 761,000 bags, compared with 623,000 last year. Warehouse deliveries aggregate 164,000 bags, against 137,000 last week. Approximate sales—48,000, May, 10.03; July, 9.99; September, 9.79; December, 9.67; March, 9.67.

RUBBER steady, ½c. higher; first latex crepe, 16½; smoked ribbed sheets, 16½.

SUGAR steady; Porto Rico, nominal. Futures steady, 1 point to 3 points down. May, 2.38; July, 2.62; September, 2.82; December, 2.87. 13,000 bags of Cuban sugar were sold to-day at 3.98 for May shipment.

COTTON opened steady, 2 points down to 6 up, and rose further on unfavourable weather, encouraging cables, Wall street support, buying by foreign interests, and covering of May shorts; then eased under expected large notices and selling for New Orleans account. The market closed steady, 17 points to 1 point up. Spot steady at 10 points rise. New Orleans spot advanced 12 points. Receipts—Atlantic 10,000, Gulf 11,000. Exports—Britain 4,000, Continent 11,000. April, unquoted; May, 17.09; June, 17.74; July, 17.64; August, 17.74; September, 17.65; October, 17.66; November, 17.65; December, 17.65; January, 17.61; February, 17.63; March, 17.66.

COTTON OIL dull at the quotations; summer yellow spot unquoted.

PETROLEUM steady.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat easy, 2½c. lower; No. 2 hard winter, 144½.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat easier; No. 2 red winter, 145½.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat easy at 3½c. reduction; No. 1 Northern spring, 154½.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened easier, ½c. to ½c. lower, and closed easy, 1½c. to 1½c. down; May, 142½; July, 139½. Oats steady at ½c. decline; May, 51½.

CHICAGO, Monday.

WHEAT opened steady, 1c. up to unchanged, May advancing on covering, while other positions declined under favourable weather and lower outside markets; then all declined on bearish weekly world's shipments, larger interior receipts, small seaboard clearances, a slow cash inquiry, liquidation, and commission house selling. Decreasing stocks and covering helped a partial rally; but the market closed barely steady, 1½c. to ½c. lower. Spot easy. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 144½; No. 3 hard winter, spot, 140½. May, 145½; July, 128½; September, 119½.

CORN opened steady and unchanged to ½c. up on decreasing stocks and adverse weather; but declined later under larger receipts, the break in wheat, a poor cash and outside inquiry, commission house selling, and liquidation. The market closed easy at ½c. to ½c. fall. No. 2 mixed, spot, 62½. May, 61½; July, 65½; September, 67½.

OATS easy, ½c. to ½c. down. May, 37½; July, 40½; September, 41½.

PROVISIONS opened easy. Lard declined on lower hog prices and packers selling, while ribs rose under light stocks and a moderate commission house demand. No sales were reported for pork, and the market closed irregular, with lard 7½ to 10 down, pork 10 up, and ribs 7½ to 5 points higher. Lard—May, 10.92½; July, 11.15; September, 11.40. Pork—May, 21.25. Ribs—May, 11.70; July, 10.90; September, 10.90.

BACON firm, 25 points up. The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1, total 3,689,000, against 3,891,000 for the same season last year.

HOGS easy, wit hlight 5 to 10 and heavy 10 to 15 points cheaper.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted.Loose.	HOGS. Light.	HOGS. Light.	HOGS. Heavy.	HOGS. Heavy.
To-day	11.75	12.75	10.40	10.55	10.05	10.25
Prev. day..	11.50	12.50	10.45	10.70	10.15	10.40

I.R.A. IN WATERFORD.

AN OFFICER IN CUSTODY.

On Saturday evening Captain Paul, formerly brigade training officer to the Waterford I.R.A., was, by order of the O.C. Commanding the I.R.A. troops, Waterford, arrested and conveyed to the barracks. The charge preferred against him is that he attempted to induce Republican soldiers to desert from the I.R.A. He is at present detained in custody pending instructions from headquarters, and is being treated with due consideration for his rank. Captain Paul is now a captain of the Free State Army.

IN MEMORY OF 1916.

A procession to Glasnevin Cemetery took place on Sunday in commemoration of those who fell in the rebellion of Easter Week, 1916. It started from Church street, and consisted of a large body of men, and young women, who wore the uniform of Cumann-na-mBhan, headed by the St. James's band, Irish Citizens' Army pipers, and the St. Laurence O'Toole band. The route taken was over Church street Bridge, Cornmarket, Dame street, Westmoreland street, and thence to the cemetery. At the "Republicans' Plot" the members formed a circle and prayers were recited. St. James's band played "The Soldier's Song." The procession returned in the same order to the city.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS

ST. PATRICK'S RECITALS.—At the recitals to be given by Dr. G. Hewson, organist, in St. Patrick's Cathedral to-morrow afternoon and Thursday evening, an interesting and varied selection of music will be performed. The programme will include Siegfried Idyll (Wagner), Overture, "Flying Dutchman" (Wagner), Peer Gynt Suite (Grieg), Mendelssohn's Athalie Overture and works by Bach, Beethoven, and Bairstow. The offerings will be for the Choir Superannuation Fund.

DUBLIN WOMAN SHOT.—About one o'clock on Sunday morning two men were arrested by the Irish Republican Police in connection with the shooting of a young woman named Mary Jane Byrne, aged 22 years, at 14 Lower Erne street, Dublin. The men were firing at a lamp-post, which they almost "beheaded," and one of the bullets went through the window of Miss Byrne's room, inflicting a scalp wound.

KNOCKED DOWN BY CYCLE.—While Thomas Murphy, aged 75, of Meath place, Dublin, was crossing the street at the Four Courts on Saturday, he was struck by a passing cyclist and received injuries which resulted in his death. The cyclist, Henry Cardwell Brady, bank clerk, 54 Grosvenor square, was formally charged in the Police Court yesterday with causing the death of Murphy and remanded.

ALLEGED THREAT TO MURDER.—On Saturday Christopher and Herbert Keegan, of 2 Essex quay, were charged in the Northern Police Court, Dublin, with having attempted to murder four members of the "I.R.A. police," who went to arrest Christopher on the complaint of Mrs. Geoghegan, whom, it was alleged, Christopher had threatened. The prisoners were remanded.

LEINSTER.

QUARTER SESSIONS PREVENTED.—Dundalk Quarter Sessions were "forbidden" by an I.R.A. commandant on Saturday. All the cases were adjourned until next Sessions. The judge opened the Court on Friday, and was allowed to sit on that day without interference.

ULSTER.

SEQUEL TO CLONES AFFRAY.—At Enniskillen Quarter Sessions on Saturday Bernard and John Hughes, of Lisbellaw, were awarded [illegible] for [illegible] the night when Special constables were shot at Clones Railway Station some people in Lisbellaw became infuriated and dragged the applicants from their houses and ill-treated them.

[illegible] in Longford have been [illegible] ... be supplied to Galway [illegible] a gallon through [illegible]

The occupant of 21 Lower Abbey [illegible] a carrier pigeon marked [illegible] which was picked up in an exhausted condition [illegible]. The Royal Society of Antiquaries [illegible] will meet at 63 Merrion square [illegible] papers will be read [illegible].

Masked men entered the house of [illegible] Callaghan, Corran, Keady, and [illegible] the household with revolvers [illegible] stole £30.

The death has occurred of the Rev. [illegible] Meagher, parish priest of Dunkerrin. The reverend gentleman had served in the parishes of Borrisokane, Killaloe, and Nenagh.

Children playing with matches in a barn on the farm of Joseph Short, Lagan, [illegible] set fire to the place, which, with several [illegible], was destroyed.

Saying that he had stolen £[illegible] from his employer in Liverpool, [illegible] McDermott, giving a Liverpool address, surrendered himself to the Waterford police on Saturday.

A verdict of accidental death was returned in the case of William McCarthy, who was caught and fatally injured in machinery at the Educational Company's premises, Talbot street, Dublin.

[illegible] man who was found in the presbytery of the Roman Catholic Church, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin, and refused to leave, stating that he was in communication with Mr. Bottomley, of *John Bull*, was on Saturday sent to the lunatic asylum.

Sheep commanded poor prices at Roscommon on Friday, and many remained unsold, as farmers refused to sell at 10s. less than prices ruling at recent fairs. The cattle fair will be held to-morrow.

HUNTER KI[illegible]D BY LION.

NAIROBI, Friday.

Major Outram, the well-known big-game hunter, who was mauled by a lion near Tsavo, died in hospital at Mombasa to-day. The wounded lion attacked a native bearer, and Outram, going to his assistance, the lion attacked him and inflicted serious injuries before it was shot.

An Australian by birth, he ranked among the most prominent hunters, and on different occasions worked with Cherry Kearton and Schiendler. He was a great friend of the late Mr. F. C. Selous, with whom he fought in East Africa during the war.—(Reuter.)

On Sunday, when Special Constable [illegible] was examining his revolver before going on duty at Newry Town Hall, the weapon went off, and wounded Special Constable Morrison in the shoulder, after which it entered the window of a shop across the street, ripping a tin canister.

SLEEPLESSNESS AND INDIGESTION.

The two go hand in hand, as well you know if you have the misfortune to possess a disordered stomach. Obviously you can't get sound, refreshing sleep if harmful acid is attacking the delicate lining of your stomach the whole night through. It is this acid that's responsible for the whole trouble. It causes fermentation of your food, prevents proper nourishment of the body, brain, and nerves, and, in time, makes you really ill. The remedy prescribed by doctors for this trouble (and used in hospitals, too) is Bisurated Magnesia. The very moment it enters the stomach Bisurated Magnesia neutralises all trace of harmful acid, and stops the fermentation. The pain goes *instantly*, and normal digestion commences. There is nothing to disturb your rest, and you'll rise in the morning refreshed in both body and mind. You can get Bisurated Magnesia at any chemist's at trifling cost for either powder or tablet form, but when buying you should look for the word "Bisurated," which is boldly printed on every genuine package for your protection.

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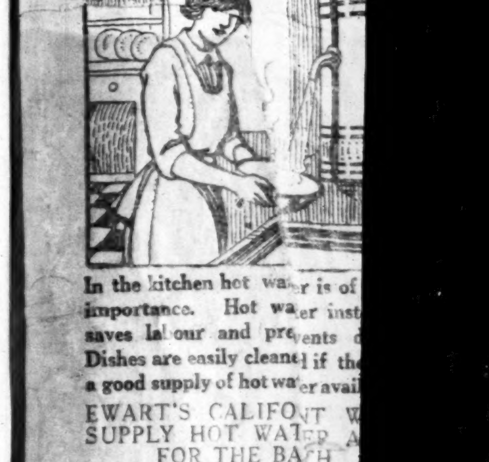

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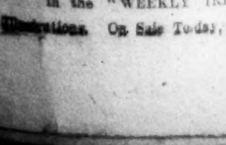

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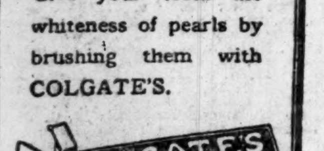

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NEWMARKET.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

For the opening of the Newmarket Meeting my selections are as follow:—

Two Thousand Guineas Trial—Mr. S. Joel's selected.

Maiden Stakes (Div. I.)—Charming.
Welter Handicap—Adorna.
First Spring Stakes—Clotho.
Hastings Plate—Triumph.
Risby Plate—Thasos.
Maiden Stakes (Div. II.)—Pombal.

2.0—TWO THOUSAND GUINEAS TRIAL SELLING PLATE, £200. 1 m.

Age. st. lb.
LACROSSE (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 5 10 0
PRINCE HEROD (Mr. S. Darling) S. Darling 5 9 7
CHEVINGTON (Mrs. E. Tabor) ....Tabor 6 9 0
NINON (Mr. A. J. Ash) ....Leader 6 8 11
MAZAR (Mr. B. Jarvis) ....B. Jarvis 3 8 11
CHARMING (Capt. J. Homfray) ....Sherwood 8 10
VARLET (Mr. H. Cottrill) ....Cottrill 3 8 5
JULI (Mr. C. Leader) ....C. Leader 4 8 8
GRAPE LEAF (Mr. E. Moore) ....R. Day 4 8 8
RADIAN (Mr. F. Pratt) ....Pratt 3 7 7
SEAMAID (Lord Glanely) ....Platt 3 7 4
QUARNEROLO (Mr. A. Gordon) ....F. Leader 3 7 4
POMME ANNA (Mr. Sol. Joel) ..De Mestre 3 7 4
BERCOEA (Lord Lascelles) ....C. Leader 3 7 4

2.30—A MAIDEN TWO-YEAR-OLD STAKES (Div. 1), £5 each, with £200 added. Second £30. 5 f.

st. lb.
HILL BIRD (Mr. H. Savill) ....Pickering 8 12
CYRENELY (Mr. R. Smith) ....Pope 8 12
ARCTIC KNIGHT (Mr. F. Curzon) ....Hobbs 8 11
GAY CANOPY (Mr. S. K. Beresford) ..Whitaker 8 10
THIEF (Sir H. Cunliffe) ....Owen Leach, sen. 8 10
CRAGSMAN (Mr. S. Darling) ....S. Darling 8 10
PHAROS (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 8 10
PHOTOGRAPH C. (Mr. H. Dixon) ....Rintoul 8 10
BROWN RAJAH C. (Mr. D. Gant) ....Tabor 8 10
THE SPORTING ROCK (Mr. E. Cladden) O. Waugh 8 10
CLARENDON (Mr. J. Hornung) ....B. Jarvis 8 10
PLUMB SQUARE (Lady Nunburnholme) Hugh. Powney 8 10
ROSECOMB (Mr. F. Straker) ....Dewicke 8 10
CHARMING (Capt. J. Homfray) ....Sherwood 8 10
FLORIDITA C. (Mr. H. Williams) ....Leach 8 10
BLOCKHEAD (Lord M. Beresford) ....Marsh 8 10
TAXING MASTER (Mr. A. Lowry) ..Hy. Powney 8 10
SUNNY SWING (Sir H. Morgan) ....Butters 8 10
PAGODA (His Majesty) ....Marsh 8 7
MY OWN (Mrs. J. Bancroft) ....Easterbee 8 7
CHEAP TALK (Mr. A. Baum) ....E. Marten 8 7
FAIR LASSIE F. (Mr. S. Beer) ....Leach, jun. 8 7
WHEEL OF LIFE (Lord Glanely) ....Platt 8 7
BUTTERFLY BELLE F. (Mr. M. Goculdas) Crawford 8 7
DAHLIA (Lord Jersey) ....A. D. Sadler 8 7
THE WENCH (Mr. E. Moore) ....R. Day 8 7
GREEN WHEAT (Mr. J. Rowson) ....Lines 8 7

3.0—A WELTER H'CAP, £200, for winner, £20 for second. 1¼ m.

Age. st. lb.
FRONT LINE (Mrs. P. Wodehouse) ....Griggs 6 9 7
KERASOS (Lord Penrhyn) ....H. Sadler 5 9 4
GLORIOSO (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 4 9 4
JILTED (Mr. A. Howeson) ....W. Nightingall 4 9 2
WILDFELLOW (Maj. W. Milburn) W. Nightingall a 9 0
OLD BILL (Mr. B. Irish) ....B. Jarvis a 9 0
RIDICULE (His Majesty) ....Marsh 4 9 0
CHIVALROUS (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 4 8 13
BRINKLOW (Major Bayley Worthington) W. Jarvis 4 8 13
PREMIUM BOND (Mr. T. Cook) ....Green 5 8 13
LE ROI (Sir G. Bullough) ....J. Jarvis 4 8 13
WILLONYA (Mr. C. Howard) ..F. Darling 4 8 13
WELSH WOMAN (Sir J. Jardine) T. Waugh 5 8 10
BACHELOR'S CALL (Mr. S. W. Beer) Leach, sen. 4 8 6
ST. VROPOL (Mr. M. Meyer) ....W. Jarvis 4 8 7
STARGAZER (Mr. N. Guader) ....C. Waugh 4 8 7
WHEAT KING (Maj. H. Cayzer) ....Gooch 5 8 9
PINCHALE (Mr. J. Baylis) ....Beatty 6 8 6
POOKA (Col. W. Portal) ....W. Waugh 6 8 3
SIRRA (Sir E. Hulton) ....Coulthwaite 4 8 2
LEMVOYA (Capt. H. Musker) ....Pope 4 8 1
KNIGHT TEMPLAR (Mr. W. Dixon) ....Lines 4 8 1
CORCASS (Lord H. de Walden) ....H. Waugh 4 7 13
NINON (Mr. A. Ash) ....H. Leader 4 7 13
ADORNA (Mr. R. Day) ....R. Day 4 7 11
GREEK STAR (Mrs. G. Robinson) ....R. Day 6 7 11
DAWN OF PEACE (Mr. R. Pope) ....Pope a 7 11
MASTER RUFUS (Mr. J. Bell) ....J. Bell 4 7 9
PRINCE CADMUS (Mr. C. Wadia) ....Morris 4 7 7
ATHOLAMPTON (Mr. F. Slowburn) ....Fitton 5 7 7
END OF TALE (Mrs. A. James) ....Lambton 4 7 7
GRECIAN WATERS (Mr. F. Hayes) ....Toon 5 7 7
LADO (Sir J. Jardine) ....W. Colling 3 7 7
BEAU SOLEIL (Mr. J. Corrigan) ....B. Waugh 3 7 7

3.30—FIRST SPRING TWO YEARS OLD STAKES of 15 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. 5 f.

st. lb.
APRON (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 9
STAR CHAMBER (Sir G. Bullough) ....J. Jarvis 8 9
COUNT TRACY (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) ....Leach 8 9
SUNBLAIR (Mr. F. Curzon) ....Dundas 8 9
ROSEWING (Mr. H. Morrison) ....Hogg 8 9
BROWN RAJAH (Mr. D. Fraser) ....R. Day 8 9
IMPERIAL (Mr. D. M. Gant) ....Tabor 8 9
CROSSJACK (Lord Glanely) ....F. Darling 8 9
MAGIC FLOWER (Mr. A. Gordon) ....F. Leader 8 9
PHOENIX (Lord H. de Walden) ....D. Waugh 8 9
FIRE WITCH C. (Mr. J. B. Joel) ....Morton 8 9
SQUASH (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 8 9
PORTLIGHT (Mr. Sol. Joel) ....De Mestre 8 9
POINTEL C. (Mr. G. Langley) ..J. H. Cannon 8 9
PORTUMNA (Lady Nunburnholme) ..H. Powney 8 9
LUCKEARN (Lord Queenborough) ....Gilpin 8 9
PETER PAX (Mrs. G. Robinson) ....R. Day 8 9
DUNCAN GRAY (Sir J. Robinson) ..B. Jarvis 8 9
BARBARUS (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ....Pratt 8 9
TRAJANUS (Mr. W. Thornton) ....B. Jarvis 8 9
MOSSDALE C. (Mr. A. Walker) ..F. Hartigan 8 9
SACRED IBIS C. (Mr. A. Ash) ....H. Leader 8 8
LADY CAMELIA (Mr. B. Cohen) ....Private 8 6
LADIES' LACES (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 8 6
RETALIATE (Capt. Homfray) ....Sherwood 8 6
CLOTHO (Mr. J. P. Hornung) ....B. Jarvis 8 6
SUMMER DUCK (Lord Lascelles) ....R. Marsh 8 6
CHARMEUSE F. (Lady Penrhyn) ....H. Sadler 8 6

4.0—HASTINGS PLATE, £500 for winner £50 second. For three-year-olds. 1¼ m.

st. lb.
WEATHERVANE (His Majesty) ....Marsh 9 4
LEMBACH (Mr. E. Moore) ....R. Day 9 4
TREVISO (Col. W. Story) ....J. Dawson 9 1
CRAIGANGOWER (Mr. A. B. Walker) F. Hartigan 9 1
CANTERBURY (Mr. J. Benson) ....Lowe 8 10
WELSH SPEAR (Lord Queenborough) ....Gilpin 8 10
RADIANT RIVER (Mr. W. Brice) ..Farquharson 8 10
LONDON CRY (His Majesty) ....Marsh 8 3
TAMAR (Lord Astor) ....A. Taylor 8 3
CEYLONESE (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 3
BUCK'S HUSSAR (Mr. D. Fraser) ....R. Day 8 3
MARCANDO (Mr. J. Benson) ....Lowe 8 3
JEHOSOPHAT (Lord M. Beresford) ....Marsh 8 3
DUGALD DALGETTY (Lord Woolavington) F. Darling 8 3
POISONED ARROW (Maj. Cayser) ....Gooch 8 3
AONACH (Maj. Cayser) ....Gooch 8 3
GRANDSON (Lord Cholmondeley) ....Cottrill 8 3
HARPENDEN (Lord F. Curzon) ....Dundas 8 3
TREACLE (Mr. M. Field) ....H. Powney 8 3
ALMONER (Mr. M. Field) ....H. Powney 8 3
BARBARTON SQUARE (Mr. R. Sherwood) Sherwood 8 3
WERWOLF (Sir R. Jardine) ....T. Waugh 8 3
SCALINO (Sir R. Jardine) ....T. Waugh 8 3
EAGLE'S TAIL (Maj. G. Loder) ....Gilpin 8 3
ALARCOS (Mr. S. Pickering) ....Pickering 8 3
HIGHCLIFF (Lady Nunburnholme) ..H. Powney 8 3
HIGH FORCE (Ld. Rosebery) ....F. Hartigan 8 3
TRIUMPH (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ....Watson 8 3
BATON ROUGE (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ..Pratt 8 3
GOLD TRAIL (Mrs. E. Stokes) ....Private 8 3
TERVISO (Col. W. Story) ....J. Dawson 8 3
BACKWOOD (Mr. W. Whineray) ....Cottrill 8 3
NAGOYA (Mr. W. Redmond) ....Cottrill 8 3
TITTLE TATTLE (Ld. Penrhyn) ....H. Saddler 8 0
TOY SYMPHONY (Sir G. Noble) ....Green 8 0
BEN STROME (Duke of Westminster) ..Persse 8 0

4.30—RISBY THREE-YEAR-OLD (Apprentice) PLATE, £106. For horses which have never won a race value £200. Second £5. 1 m.

st. lb.
MAYFAIR (Lord Jersey) ....Moreton 7 0
JACK O' LANTERN (Mrs. Whitburn) Cotterill 7 0
THASOS (Sir N. McMillan) ....J. Bell 7 0
MISTAKEN (Sir W. Cooke) ....J. Jarvis 6 11
ROCK HILL (Mr. H. Boam) ....E. Martin 6 11
ALLURE (Mr. S. Wootton) ....Wootton 6 10
OAKS LODGE (Mr. John Bell) ....J. Bell 6 7
KNIGHT OF THE MINT (Mr. J. Butters) Butters 6 7
SPITHEAD (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 6 7
CORNER MAN (Lord Ellesmere) ..J. Dawson 6 7
JIM DANDY (Maj. Holliday) ....Lines 6 7
MINT BAY (Mr. B. Jarvis) ....B. Jarvis 6 7
KNAVE OF TRUMPS (Lord Jersey) A. D. Sadler 6 7
CLINCHER (Mr. C. Leader) ....C. Leader 6 7
BARBERTON SQUARE (Mr. R. Sherwood) Sherwood 6 7
CHARON (Sir G. Thurston) ....Private 6 7
DEERSLAYER (Lord Queenborough) ..Gilpin 6 7
AWAY NORTH (Mr. J. Sharpe) ....Walters 6 5
EGYPTIAN EAGLE (Mr. F. Alexander) Braime 6 4
WIDOW BIRD (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 6 4
MISS BLARNEY (Major W. Beatty) ....Beatty 6 4
SWANSEA CHINA (Mr. D. Fraser) ....R. Day 6 4
EMANCIPATION (Lord Durham) ....Peck 6 4
CASADORO (Mr. D. O'M. Leahy) ....Beatty 6 4
ALISTA (Mr. F. Luscombe) ....C. Waugh 6 4
AMMONITE (Mr. S. Pickering) ....Pickering 6 4
LOMAX (Sir W. Nelson) ....C. Leader 6 4
LIGHT OAKS (Mrs. F. Platt) ....Whitaker 6 4
EASTER HOLIDAY (Mr. G. R. Sadler) A. B. Sadler 6 4
ABYSSINIAN GIRL (Lord Saville) ....Griggs 6 4
AISLE (Mr. R. W. Tilley) ....T. Leader 6 4

5.0—A MAIDEN T.Y.O. STAKES (Div. 2) of £5 each, with £200 added. Second £30. 5 f.

st. lb.
WHITE MAN (Mr. P. Heybourn) R. W. Colling 8 12
SCALDINO (Lord Fitzwilliam) ....Dundas 8 11
CATALINI (Mr. J. Baylis) ....Beatty 8 10
TITTENHURST (Mr. S. Beer) ....Leach, jun 8 10
SHAGREEN (Mrs. A. Beadir) ....Davidson 8 10
SINNATUS (Maj. H. Cayzer) ....Gooch 8 10
POMBAL (Mr. J. Courtauld) ....B. Jarvis 8 10
LEGEND (Sir H. Cunliffe Owen) ..Leach, sen. 8 10
OVERSEER (Mr. D. Gant) ....Tabor 8 10
FLOWING CUP C. (Mr. M. Goculdas) ..Crawford 8 10
HACKLER'S PRIDE C. (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 8 10
STONE AXE (Duchess of Newcastle) ....R. Day 8 10
WAYGOOD (Mr. W. Raphael) ....Raphael 8 10
SCALIGER (Lord Rosebery) ....F. Hartigan 8 10
DRYM C. (Mr. J. White) ....Cottrill 8 10
ALASTAIR (Lord Woolavington) ....F. Darling 8 10
LAZY LOO C. (Mr. C. Howard) ....Butters 8 10
ESTEEM C. (Mr. M. Musker) ....Leach 8 10
WILSNECK (Mr. A. Allfrey) ....Private 8 7
MAIDEN SPEECH (Mr. J. Dawson) J. Dawson 8 7
CANNON BALL F. (Mr. H. Dickson) H. Randall 8 7
SCHOOLGATE (Mr. W. Dixon) ....Lines 8 7
FILLIE DOR (Mr. G. Langley) ..J. H. Cannon 8 7
MOTHER SUPERIOR (Lord Lascelles) ..Marsh 8 7
HOLIHONIC (Mr. C. Read) ....D. Waugh 8 7
PINCE NEZ (Mr. A. Sadler, jun.) A. D. Sadler 8 7
ALTAIR G. (Mr. S. Sidebottom) ....H. Leader 8 7
BEATRIX (Lord Stanley) ....Lambton 8 7
VERDICT (Lord Coventry) ....W. Waugh n.q.

BALLSBRIDGE SHOW.

NEW CHALLENGE CUPS.

A meeting of the Royal Dublin Society's Committee of Agriculture, held on Thursday, received the Director's report on the entries for, and the prospects of, the Spring Agricultural Show, which is to be held at Ballsbridge on May 16, 17, and 18, and considered it to be satisfactory.

Reference was made to the educational exhibit of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, which will be one of the principal features of the Show, the Industrial Hall and the approach to it having been allocated for this purpose.

The catering arrangements were under consideration, and it was decided to accept the tenders of Mr. John Barror and Messrs. George Lovell, Ltd.

Instructions were given to thank subscribers, through Mr. J. Willington, for the offer of two Challenge Cups for competition at the Show, one for the best large white boar, and the other for the best large white sow, which was accepted.

LEITRIM SHOOTING CASE.

On Saturday night two unknown men called at the public-house of Mr. Patrick McKenna, at Mohill, Co. Leitrim, and fired two revolver shots at him, one of which took effect in his shoulder. He was removed to a Dublin hospital in a serious condition.

ALEXANDRA PARK.

GOOD SPORT.

CORAZON WINS ALEXANDRA HANDICAP.

1.30—PALACE H'CAP, a sweepstakes of £4 each, £200 added. 5 f.

Mr. R. Dawson's ch. g. SARGON, by Glasgerion—Penny Flier, 3, 7-12 ....Hulme 1
Mr. S. Darling's APRIL SHOWER, 4, 7-1 F. L. Bullock 2
Mr. H. Lines' POLISTA, 5, 8-7 ...H. Wheatley 3

Also ran—Elvera, 6, 8-8 (J. Brennan); Golden Way, 3, 8-2 (S. Felthan); Capitol, 3, 7-9 (Wragg); The Little Gentleman, 3, 7-7 (J. Gillett); Italian Lass, 3, 7-3 (Lynch). (Winner trained by R. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. SARGON, 7 to 2 April Shower, 6 to 1 Polista, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three-parts of a length; six lengths separated second and third.

2.0—JUVENILE SELLING PLATE, £200. 5 f.

Mr. H. Shaw's COOKIE, 7-13 ....F. Lane 1
Mr. A. Maum's MUSK RAT, 7-10 ....Lister 2
Mr. J. de Rothschild's COLCANNON, 7-13 Grace 3

Also ran—Hartshead, 8-3 (J. Brennan); Knight's Nook, 7-13 (F. L. Bullock); Wantley, 7-13 (L. Butchers); Trusty, 7-13 (A. Harris); Nedda, 7-10 (F. Wragg). (Winner trained by Gwilt.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. COOKIE, 4 to 1 Colcannon, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a length; four lengths separated second and third.

2.30—PRIORY SELLING PLATE, £200. Second, £5. 1m. 150yds.

Mr. J. L. Ainsworth's b. m. KILLEEN, by St. Brendan—Santina, 6, 9-4 ....F. Lane 1
Mr. D. Gant's AURAMINE, 6, 9-0 ....J. Evans 2
Mr. W. Dixon's SHANDON BELLS, 4, 9-0 H. Wheatley 3

Also ran—Clondir, a, 9-7 (V. Smyth); Hudcora, 5, 9-4 (F. Winter); Amboyna, 6, 9-4 (A. Balding); Rara Avis, 5, 9-4 (Lister); Mark Buoy, 4, 9-3 (E. Morris); Mor Valley, 4, 9-0 (W. Smyth); Backbiter, 4, 9-3 (Whalley); Greek Runner, 4, 9-0 (Spear); Bedmaker, 4, 9-0 (L. Butchers); Lady Shimmer, 4, 9-0 (A. Smyth); Wild Flame, 3, 7-8 (G. Smith); Veradale, 3, 7-8 (Wragg). (Winner trained by Griggs.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. KILLEEN, 100 to 30 Lady Shimmer, 4 to 1 Auramine, 10 to 1 Huonora, 100 to 8 each Amboyna, Clondir, Rara Avis, and Veradale, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; a neck separated second and third.

3.0—THREE-YEAR-OLD H'CAP., £500. Ent. £2 and £3 more for starters. Second, £50; third, £25. 1m. 150yds.

Maj. M. Bell's bl. f. TINFOIL, by Battleaxe—Tacitan, 6-7 ....L. Bullock 1
Mr. J. Ramsden's KNEE CAP, 7-5 ....Wragg 2
Maj. R. Ratcliffe's SHANKY, 7-10 ....F. Lane 3

Also ran—Junk, 7-11 (Lynch); Tepus, 7-9 (A. Harris); Rose des Vents, 7-7 (Lister); Son of Love, 7-5 (E. Morris); Straight Flight, 7-2 (A. Selby); Purple Heron, 7-11 (Speck). (Winner trained by M. Bell.)

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. Purple Heron, Shanky and Knee Cap, 5 to 1 Rose des Vents, 6 to 1 Son of Love, 10 to 1 Junk, 20 to 1 TINFOIL or any other.

Won by a neck; a head separated second and third.

3.30—ENFIELD PLATE, £200. Second £20, third, £10. For two-year-olds. 5 f.

Mr. J. Ryan's BRESLANE, 8-0 ....Whalley 1
Mr. S. Darling's COURIER, 8-0 ....Wragg 2
Mr. H. Madden's CHAPEAU, 7-11 ....Lister 3

Also ran—Lowood, 9-0 (F. Lane); Murry On colt, 8-0 (Spear); Expect, 8-0 (Beary); Golden Thoughts, 7-11 (J. Brennan); Kitsitwitsky, 7-11 (G. Smith); Sweet Charity, 7-11 (A. Brennan). (Winner trained by C. Leader.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Lowood, 7 to 2 Expect, 5 to 1 each Courier and Kitsitwitsky, 10 to 1 BRESLANE, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by half a length; a length separated second and third.

4.0—ALEXANDRA MID-WEIGHT H'CAP, a sweepstakes £5 each. 1¼ m. and 110 yds.

Mr. R. Dawson's ch. g. CORAZON, by Charles O'Malley—Noramac, 4, 7-13 ....G. Lane 1
Mr. P. Shaw's LLANGARREN, a, 7-10 ....Morris 2
Mrs. Heybourn's GLASS IDOL, 4, 7-3 ....Robbins 3

Also ran—Most Beautiful, 4, 7-10 (A. Clarke); Jane Eyre, 5, 8-7 (W. Griggs); Hopeful Bachelor, 4, 8-1 (Lynch); Victory Speech, 5, 7-9 (Lynch); Nonentity, 5, 7-4 (K. Robertson); Sheriff's Officer, a, 7-0 (J. Fleacher). (Winner trained by R. Dawson.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. CORAZON, 11 to 2 Hopeful Bachelor, 6 to 1 Llangarren, 7 to 1 each Jane Eyre and Glass Idol, 10 to 1 Nonentity, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a length; a length and a half separated second and third.

4.30—MAIDEN 3-Y.O. STAKES, £3 each, £200 added. 1 m. 160 yds.

Mrs. J. Maclean's b. c. PAGE, by Happy Warrior—Maid-in-Waiting, 8-13 ....Whalley 1
Mr. G. Gilbey's PILLORY, 8-13 ....Leach 2
Lord Lascelles' CORYSTE, 8-0 ....Lane 3

Also ran—Dimanche, 8-0 (Deal); Found Out, 8-3 (J. Evans). (Winner trained by Wilkins.)

Betting—13 to 8 agst. Pillory, 2 to 1 PAGE, 5 to 2 Coryste, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; four lengths separated second and third.

FARMING NOTES.

FEEDING OF SPRING CALVING COWS.

The following notes on the feeding after calving, of spring calves, taken from a revised leaflet on "Management of Dairy Cows," recently issued by the Irish Department of Agriculture—copies of which can be obtained on application—are reproduced because of their timely application:—

So long as spring calving cows are mainly dependent on house-feeding, the ration suggested is 3 to 6 stones roots, 3 to 6 pounds cake and meal, and 1 to 1½ stones hay or oaten straw. A suitable mixture of cake and meals consists of equal parts of decorticated cotton-cake, crushed oats, bran, and dried grains. Ground nut cake, soya cake, palm-nut cake, cocoanut cake, dried yeast, or bean meal could replace decorticated cotton cake, and barley meal or maize the crushed oats, bran, or dried grains.

A supply of succulent food, such as roots or catch crops, for use from the time the cows calve until there is sufficient grass, is of the utmost importance. The quantity of roots to be given will depend, of course, on the supply available, but it may be well to mention that a test carried out at the Agricultural Station, Clonakilty, showed that when the quantity of roots fed was between three and six stones per day, one stone of roots could be replaced by 1lb. of a mixture of cake and meal, consisting of equal parts decorticated cotton cake, maize meal, and crushed oats, without the yield of milk being reduced. When the supply of roots is limited, the quantity of dried grains and bran should be increased. Under such conditions, the flow of milk will be stimulated if the dried grains are thoroughly steeped in water before being fed, and the bran given as a mash.

CAKE OR MEAL?

The question as to whether it pays to give cake or meal to spring calves when on the grass depends largely on the quality of the pasture, the nature of the season, and the price realised for the milk. Where the pasture is of fair average quality, and is not overstocked, the feeding of concentrated food is not likely to result in any material increase in the milk yield, particularly in the early part of the season. Towards the middle of August, when grass becomes scarcer, an allowance of concentrated food will probably increase the milk yield; but, except where milk is retailed, or sold for retailing, it is doubtful if even at this stage the increased yield will pay for the extra food.

Where cows are grazed on inferior pasture much better financial returns can be obtained from the application of basic slag or superphosphate to the land, than by the feeding of concentrated foods to cows in the summer and autumn. The use of suitable artificial manures greatly improves poor pastures, both as regards the quantity and quality of the herbage, with the result that the flow of milk is improved, and the stock-carrying capacity of the pasture is increased.

When the quality of the grass begins to deteriorate in autumn, a start should be made with the feeding of cabbages or other green food specially grown for this purpose. When the cows are housed at night, the feeding should consist chiefly of cabbages and roots, and hay or oaten straw, preferably the former.

MILDEW IN TURNIPS.

The disease known as "powdery mildew" is estimated to have caused a loss of about £2 per acre to growers of Swede turnips in Cumberland and Westmorland last year through reduction in yield, poor keeping quality of the roots attacked, and rot in storage.

In the early part of the summer the Swede crop in practically all parts of both counties looked exceptionally healthy and vigorous, and promised, in spite of the drought, to be an excellent crop. About the middle of August, however, mildew developed, and after that date the disease steadily became worse, and the crop received a severe check. Not only were the older leaves affected, but the young leaves became mildewed before they attained any great size. The disease was found to have been equally severe in all parts of both counties—practically no difference in intensity being observed.

As with many other mildews, the best preventive against Swede mildew probably is application of potash fertilisers. At any rate, care should be taken that the land on which turnips are grown is not deficient in lime.

POST OFFICE ROBBED.

Our Castlerea Correspondent telegraphs that on Saturday several raids were made on post offices in Castlerea district, County Roscommon, and that large sums of money were carried away. The post offices raided were:—Castlerea head office, the offices at Glenamaddy, Ballymoe, Frenchpark, and Ballinlough.

Let your purse rule what you buy; WELCO'S worth none can deny.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

IRISH LAND PURCHASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Kindly allow me to say that the proposals for land purchase which were set forth this week at the Rotunda are founded on the following entirely wrong assumptions:—(1) That landlords are to blame for not having sold their estates, which is untrue, since all would have gladly parted with them long ago had England supplied the money, as promised; (2) that economic conditions of agriculture have altered since the previous Purchase Act. No doubt, they did during the war, when they vastly improved; but as now they are virtually the same as when the Wyndham Act was passed, why should vendors be treated less favourably than those who sold under that Act; and where is the slightest justification for a 50 *per cent.*, or any, reduction of rent? During the last seven years, when fortunes were being made out of land, landlords were no better off; but now they are asked to bear more than their share of whatever losses there may be.

Surely all this shows that unless the convention brings the matter immediately before the British Parliament, and persuades it to complete land purchase, a most outrageous injustice will result.—Yours, etc., "FAIR PLAY."

Carrick-on-Shannon, April 21st, 1922.

THE FILM IN POLITICS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The use of the film as a medium of political propaganda, as reported in your issue of April 10th, has aroused a good deal of comment and some adverse criticisms, film exhibitors being warned to be wary of playing with fire and to stick to "constitutional methods." If, as I understand, the Cinema Tax Abolition Committee has requested other exhibitors not to use similar methods at present, its action can only be the result of chivalrous instincts; for, from whatever angle you look at it, I cannot for the life of me see how the use of the screen for any sort of propaganda is any less constitutional than the use of newspapers, hoardings, handbills, or any other recognised medium for publicity.

One would imagine that the film will become a large factor in political campaigns of the future.—Yours, etc., M. ELLIOT.

Oatlands Chase, Ashley Warren, Walton-on-Thames, April 21st, 1922.

CHURCH OF IRELAND.

REFRESHER COURSE FOR CLERGY.

A Refresher Course for clergy is being held this week at St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham, from Monday to Friday. Rev. J. W. Hunkin, M.A., O.B.E., M.C., Caius College, Cambridge, will lecture to-day, to-morrow, and Thursday, at 11 a.m., on "Christian Mysticism in Everyday Life." The afternoon lectures will be at 5.15 o'clock, as follows:—To-day, "The Fourth Gospel," the Provost of Trinity College; To-morrow, "The Continuity of the Irish Church," Rev. Canon H. J. Lawlor, D.D.; Thursday, "Orthodoxy and Authority," Rev. C. B. Armstrong, B.D. Friday will be observed as a Quiet Day, and Rev. J. W. Hunkin, M.A., will be the conductor. Non-residents can attend on payment of registration fee, and meals can be obtained at the College.

MATER CARNIVAL.

BIG EVENT IN SEPTEMBER.

The grounds of the Royal Dublin Society at Ballsbridge have been secured for the carnival that will be opened on September 9 in aid of the Mater Hospital. At a meeting of the Executive Committee on Sunday night Mr. James Bermingham announced that a special committee of railwaymen would be formed to assist the carnival. The fruit-buyers of Dublin intend to run a stall of their own.

Mr. W. J. Tunney, Chairman of the Amusements Committee, reported progress, and stated that they had secured amusements for the Fair Green that had never been at any carnival or bazaar in Dublin before, and that had been great draws at Olympia and other large centres in America and England.

Mr. F. W. Crossley, Chairman of the Propaganda Committee, reported progress, and promised to submit a very large and extensive scheme of advertising and Press propaganda for next meeting.

Mr. Gilligan, Secretary of the Stallholders' Committee, mentioned that fifty stalls were working and in full swing. Whist drives, concerts, etc., were being organised and carried out through the country.

Planning Committee.—Mr. T. J. Cullen, architect, submitted plan of the Central Hall, Ballsbridge, and allotment for stallholders. The general scheme of the carnival would be based on the lines of an Egyptian city, and good progress was being made.

RUSSIA'S STARVING CHILDREN.

DAIL EIREANN'S GRANT.

The following letter has been received by the Irish Save the Children Fund from the President of Dail Eireann, together with a cheque for £1,000 to be expended on relief in the Russian famine area:—

"DAIL EIREANN, President's Department, Mansion House, Dublin, 19th April, 1922.

"The Secretary, Saor an Leanbh Committee, 9 Ely place, Dublin.

"A CHARA,—The Cabinet of Dail Eireann sends herewith cheque value £1,000 to Saor an Leanbh Committee, to assist them in the work they are doing in relieving distress in the famine-stricken area in Russia.

"Ireland cannot remain unmoved by the knowledge of the terrible misery which afflicts so many millions of Russians.

"Our own history, marked as it is by recurrent famines, must necessarily make us only the more keenly alive to the call of humanity.

"We recognise that the claims of suffering humanity do not stop short at national frontiers, and now that we are at last taking possession of our own country, and hope to make her future prosperous and happy, we know also that it is the duty of all peoples to assist each other in their hour of need.

"We feel sure that the appeal your Committee makes on behalf of the thirty-three millions who are affected by the present famine, and particularly for the children who are dying daily from starvation, will receive the whole-hearted support of the people of Ireland.

"Mise le meas mor,

ART O GRIOBHA (Arthur Griffith)."

FIRES IN WATERFORD.

The bandroom of the I.F. Meagher Fife and Drum Band, Waterford, together with the instruments, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night or early on Sunday morning. The rooms of the Waterford Pig-buyers' Association, Grattan quay, were partially burned yesterday morning.

On Saturday evening the coach-building premises of Mr. William O'Neill, Thomas's Hill, Waterford, took fire, and a considerable amount of damage was done. Most of the vehicles on the premises were, with the assistance of neighbours, removed to a place of safety.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, April 19, 1922.
REGULAR FORCES.

R.A.M.C.—The undermentioned temporary Captains relinquish their commissions, and retain the rank of Captain:—J. E. O. Loghlan, March 23, 1922; C. W. Bennett, March 25, 1922.

CORPS OF MILITARY ACCOUNTANTS.—The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on completion of service, April 1, 1922, and retain the rank of Captain:—Temporary Captains and Accountant Officers (6th Class)—O. Coughtrie, E. W. Green, T. P. J. Carroll, J. Cotton, F. P. Scriven. The undermentioned relinquishes his temporary grading on ceasing to be employed with the Corps, April 1, 1922:—Temporary Accountant Officer (5th Class)—Captain P. W. Loughran.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS. GENERAL LIST.—The undermentioned, having attained the age limit of liability to recall, cease to belong to the Reserve of Officers:—Major-General Sir Foster R. Newland, K.C.M.G., C.B., M.B., late R.A.M.C., January 10, 1922.

REGIMENTAL LIST.—R.A.M.C.—Lieut.-Colonel John Hennessey, C.B., C.M.G., M.B., having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Reserve of Officers, February 5, 1922.

WAR OFFICE, April 20, 1922.
REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned appointment is made:—A.D.C.—Lieutenant the Lord Killeen, M.C., 17th Lancers, from an A.D.C. (Temporary), March 11, 1922.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Captain A. G. McCall is placed on the half-pay list, under the provisions of Article 312, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1914, October 7, 1921 (substituted for the notification in the *Gazette* of February 27, 1922).

Royal Garrison Artillery.—Lieutenant W. H. Curry is placed temporarily on the half-pay list, on account of ill-health, April 21, 1922.

R.A.M.C.—Major T. C. C. Leslie to be Acting Lieutenant-Colonel, from September 14, 1919, to May 20, 1920. The undermentioned Captains to be Acting Lieutenant-Colonels:—Henry H. Mulholland, M.B., from November 6 to December 14, 1919; Francis G. A. Smyth, from June 17 to July 28, 1920. The undermentioned Captains to be Acting Majors:—Henry H. Mulholland, M.B., from December 15, 1919, to January 8, 1921; Michael P. Power, M.C., from February 14, 1920, to September 29, 1921. The undermentioned Temporary Captain relinquishes his commission and retains the rank of Captain:—Mark O'Brien, March 26, 1922.

REGULAR ARMY—RESERVE OF OFFICERS. GENERAL LIST.

Lieutenant J. W. Creaghe, from Reserve of Officers, Somerset Light Infantry, to be Lieutenant, July 1, 1921, with seniority of December 30, 1921.

EASTER VESTRIES.

THE ELECTIONS.

The following appointments were made at the undermentioned annual Easter Vestries:—

ST. JAMES'S PARISH.—Churchwardens—Messrs. R. H. Reeves and John O'Rourke. Select Vestry—Messrs. W. C. Boydell, M.A.; A. Bryan, H. W. Davey, W. H. Dixon, J. C. Egar, John Horan, Alexander Mulligan, T. H. Richardson, T. A. Roche, B.A.; F. W. Sharpe, H. Tough, and William Warham. Diocesan Synodsman—Mr. W. C. Boydell, M.A. Honorary Secretary—Mr. John Horan. Honorary Treasurer—Mr. H. W. Davey.

ST. BARNABAS'.—Churchwardens—William James Stitt and William Wilson. Select Vestry—T. Dickenson, E. Simpson, H. M. Gayton, S. Alford, J. Magill, G. Vincent, H. Hiles, R. Searson, A. Pickett, T. E. Grey, W. J. Bowen, R. F. Stevenson. Hon. Treasurer—G. Vincent. Hon. Secretary—H. Hiles.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S.—Vicar's Churchwarden—Keith Hallowes. People's Churchwarden—Sidney Young. Select Vestry—William Chamney, Alexander Colles, Robert Crawford, J. C. Dewhurst, Richard Smith-Hopking, John T. Hamerton, A. L. Hurford, G. Peterson, H. G. Ryder, J. Wheatley, C. Pratt Whelan, A. G. Wolseley. Hon. Treasurer—William Chamney, J.P. Hon. Secretary—A. L. Hurford.

ST. MARK'S PARISH.—Select Vestry—Messrs. W. Brine, H. L. Harrison, L.D.S.; W. Hunter, J. Logan, A. W. MacDermott, R. Polley, W. Quill, T. Stanford, J.P.; A. H. Ward, R. S. Webster, W. Wilmot, H. E. Wynne, M.D. Hon. Secretary—A. H. Ward. Hon. Treasurer—R. S. Webster.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH, DUBLIN.—Churchwardens—Edward White and Henry B. Pim. Select Vestry—F. W. W. Baker, M.D.; Mrs. Collis, Thomas Day, F. E. Fetherstonhaugh, Henry P. Hill, R. Henry Macrory, James Nichols, J. F. Lawrence, Thomas A. Rae, John W. Richards, James Robinson, and Miss Mary M. Scott.

DRUMCONDRA AND NORTH STRAND PARISH.—Rector's Churchwarden—T. W. Newell. People's Churchwarden—J. Waldron. Select Vestry—W. E. Anderson, L. K. Bradford, R. M. Clarke, Mrs. A. Clarke, H. Downes, W. J. Erskine, T. Harrison, J. Mathers, J. J. Moore, J. E. Robinson, J. H. Turner, J. Sloane. Hon. Secretary—J. Mathers. Hon. Treasurer—W. J. Erskine.

ST. JUDE'S PARISH.—Rector's Churchwarden—H. Jordon. People's Churchwarden—A. Doble. Select Vestry—W. Brassington, E. Blackburne, R. Bryan, J. Clark, R. Carley, W. Caswell (jun.), W. Jordon, R. G. Love, J. Nolan, J. M. Peate, T. Wilson, and A. Atock. Rector's Glebewardens—G. Overend and W. Jordon. People's Glebewardens—R. Dunbar and A. J. McWilliam. Sidesmen—R. Dunbar, L. Proctor, J. F. Sides, G. Stephens.

PARISH OF ST. GEORGE.—Rector's Churchwarden—A. Moorhead. People's Churchwarden—T. A. Oakes. Select Vestry—W. Smyth, W. G. Woodman, H. K. Pearson, E. MacDowel Cosgrave, M.D.; J. P. Kermode, A. J. Ewing, G. O'Keeffe Wilson, M.D.; A. B. Beck, C. Purdie, A. E. Murphy, F. W. Jackson, J. Jackson.

WHITECHURCH (DIOCESE OF DUBLIN).—Vicar's Churchwarden—Dr. A. Croly, F.R.C.P.I., J.P. People's Churchwarden—E. G. White. Select Vestry—Rev. C. B. Armstrong, B.D.; William Bright, LL.D.; Colonel T. Clarke, D.S.O.; Edward S. Coard, A. V. FitzHerbert, A. Gaisford, T. Gamage, Major E. W. Guinness, J.P.; J. J. Houghton, Sir John Irwin, J.P.; James Johnston, F. L. Leet, LL.D., J.P.

TANEY PARISH (DUNDRUM).—Rector's Churchwarden—Frederick Smith. People's Churchwarden—H. Saunders. Select Vestry—E. Hamilton, A. S. Goff, M.D.; J. Collen, W. J. Hamilton, W. B. Dobbs, L. S. Smith, S. P. Wilmot, F. A. Campion, J. Moore, E. J. Murray, H. M. Whitton, W. Oakes. Hon. Treasurer—Frederick Smith. Hon. Secretary—E. J. Murray.

STILLORGAN PARISH.—Major J. H. R. Richards was elected one of the Parochial Nominators in the room of Thomas Jackson, who resigned. Minister's Churchwarden—M. R. Holmes. People's Churchwarden—Major C. G. Hemphill. Select Vestry—J. W. Boyce, F. D. Darley, H. S. Guinness, S. R. C. Hemphill, Miss L. Humphreys, Miss Myra Jones, G. Keon, A. H. Orpen, A. H. S. Orpen, J. H. R. Richards, R. A. Walker, and J. S. Wilkinson.

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FATHER MATHEW FEIS.

FINAL AWARDS.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the Father Mathew Feis was the Irish costume contest on Saturday. A large number of boys and girls appeared in Irish costume to compete for the medals which were offered by the President, the Very Rev. Father Laurence, O.S.F.C. The competition was keen, and the apparel of the children won the admiration of the onlookers. Miss Kathleen Wright adjudicated, and Father Laurence, in announcing the awards, gave an interesting exposition of the claims of Irish manufactured articles to the support of the public.

He pointed out that the awards were based, not merely on traditional Irish costumes, but also on the essential condition of the competition that the costumes should be purely Irish in manufacture, even to the ornaments and buttons worn. Some of the most attractively dressed children were disqualified because they did not comply with these details. He believed that the competition that day which had brought so many children to the Feis would do much to bring home to the parents, not only the beauty of purely Irish design, but also the utility and necessity of clothing the children in costumes of Irish manufacture.

In the Girls' Section, the first prize (gold medal) was awarded to Miss Maisie McBride, 7 Queen's Square, Great Brunswick street. There was a tie for the second prize between Miss Una O'Connor and Miss K. Grace, 23 Arranmore avenue.

In the boys' section, the first prize went to Master R. Stewart. ... Roche and Sylvester Hayes tied for the second prize.

Mr. Samuel Watson, who adjudicated at the Art Competitions, said that he was very disappointed at the few entries. He felt that if the importance of the subject was properly realised there would be more. Miss Irene Doyle and Miss Audry O'Callaghan, Dominican College, Eccles street, were highly commended. No prize was awarded.

The result of the Domestic Science Competitions were as follows:—

Division 1 (Class C)—First prize, Miss Georgina Chanley, Palmerston place, Broadstone.

Division 2 (Class B)—First prize, Miss Chrissie Gillespie, East Wall Convent School.

Division 3 (Class A)—Highly commended, Miss Kitty Trayner, East Wall Convent School: Miss Georgina Chanley, Palmerston place, Broadstone.

Division 3 (Class B)—First prize, Miss Maureen Kieley, East Wall Convent School.

Division 4 (Class B)—First prize, Miss May O'Sullivan, 246 North Circular road.

Division 4 (Class C)—First prize, Miss Lena Cole, Botanic road, Glasnevin.

In the Irish Language Phrase Method (Class 1, Group 1) no prize was awarded as only one group entered. The children, pupils of the Dominican College, Eccles street, were, nevertheless, examined, and Miss M. Cassidy took the first place, Miss C. Burke securing second place.

For Class 2 there were fifteen entries. Miss Grace Hughes was awarded first prize. The second prize went to Miss Maire Kenny, and Sheila McQuillan and Maire McKane were highly commended.

Messrs. L. O'Byrne and H. Rooney adjudicated at the Boys' Irish Solo Competition, for which there were five entries. Mr. Rooney, in awarding the prizes, said that it was the Irish that had decided the contest. Apart from that it was a rather monotonous display. The voice production was bad, and there were really no good voices. Master William Honahan, 3 Annesley Bridge road, was awarded the prize with 79 per cent. Master James Westby, 166 Pembroke road, was highly commended.

In the Girls' Irish Solo Contest the first prize was awarded to Miss Mary Fitzsimons. The second prize was awarded to Miss Lily Feelan.

In the Ladies' Solo (members) contest, Miss Bridie Dowdall was awarded the first prize (gold medal). The second prize (silver) was won by Miss Eily Doran, and the third (bronze) by Miss Meehan.

In the Men's (members) Solo Contest Mr. John Buckley won the first prize, the second Mr. T. Cavanagh, and the third Mr. John Stapleton. Mr. John Maguire was highly commended.

Father Laurence announced that Mrs. Schofield, the adjudicator, had offered for the next Feis a silver medal for a song, with violin or cello accompaniment. He returned thanks to the adjudicators.

FARMING AND FINANCE.

AN AGRICULTURAL REVIVAL.

Lecturing to a meeting of farmers at Upper Fitzwilliam street, Dublin, on Wednesday evening, Professor Johnson, T.C.D., said that the causes of the present agricultural depression were essentially temporary, but on one assumption: that the fabric of European industry was somehow saved.

If Europe were utterly ruined the prospect for agriculture was most gloomy. Farmers everywhere were, said Professor Johnson, acting on the assumption that the collapse of demand was permanent.

The difficulties of the farmer lay in adjusting the supply to the demand, and the revival of a demand depended on the settlement of Europe. The lecturer stressed the importance of self-help and mutual self-help, and, referring to the farmers' dependence on agricultural production, pointed out the need for supporting industry.

Specifying the general conditions of the development of a rural industrialism under a democratic control, Professor Johnson mentioned cheap power and cheap transport as being the most important.

WORTHY OFFICIAL.

PRESENTATION TO MR. F. E. JONES.

Well deserved tributes were paid to Mr. F. E. Jones on his retirement from the London and North-Western Railway service, at an interesting ceremony, which took place at the Irish Railway Clearing House on Thursday.

Those present were representative of the railway, shipping, and trading interests. The chair was occupied by Mr. James Cowie, general manager of the Midland Railway (Northern Counties Committee), who made kindly reference to the many years Mr. Jones had been connected with the railway service, and the assistance rendered by him at the various conferences with which they were associated. He intimated that his friends did not wish to let him sever his official connection without giving him some token of their good wishes for health and happiness in his retirement.

Among other speakers were—Messrs. C. A. Moore, G. E. Smyth, O.B.E.; F. W. Taylor, W. Baird, W. J. F. Horne, W. E. Richardson, and Mr. J. F. Clinch, the latter referring to the energetic work which Mr. Jones had always rendered to the Railway Benevolent Institution.

The Chairman, in making the presentation of a grandfather clock, asked Mr. Jones to also accept a diamond ring for Mrs. Jones.

Mr. Jones, in a brief speech, expressed his appreciation of the gifts.

IRELAND'S OWN BAND.

CONCERT AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

An enjoyable programme of vocal and instrumental music was presented at the Theatre Royal on Sunday night by "Ireland's Own" Band. The band items evoked the heartiest applause, and, despite a special request in the programme, several peremptory encores had to be responded to by the instrumentalists.

Under the conductorship of Mr. W. S. Nabarro, the band has now, perhaps, attained its highest point of excellence, and this is all the more praiseworthy in view of the fact that the members of the band are all wage-earners, who have to follow their ordinary daily employment in the city.

The instrumental items included a cornet solo by Mr. James Shelton, euphonium solo by Mr. Joseph Inskipp, and piccolo solo by Mr. James Davenport. The vocalists included such popular artists as Mr. Irvine Lynch, Miss Teresa Owens, Mr. J. C. Doyle, Miss Lia Humphries, Miss Florrie Ryan, Miss Nora Hill, and Mr. J. C. Browner. Mr. Vincent O'Brien acted as accompanist.

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PUNCHESTOWN.

A ONE-DAY POSTPONEMENT.

RACING TO-MORROW AND THURSDAY.

At a hastily-convened meeting of the Stewards, held on Sunday, it was decided to postpone the commencement of racing at Punchestown for twenty-four hours, and accordingly the meeting will take place to-morrow and Thursday, instead of Tuesday and Wednesday, as originally arranged, the order of running and programme, as published, to stand.

The Stewards were doubtless influenced in their decision by yesterday's general stoppage of work throughout the country and the consequent impossibility of horses from the various training centres being sent on Monday, as is usually the case. It will be remembered that in 1919 and 1920 the meeting was abandoned, the cause two years ago being the absence of transport facilities, but, though no trains were available twelve months ago, the meeting was duly carried out, and proved very successful. There is not, happily, any likelihood of any such inconvenience being experienced in connection with this year's anniversary, and the one-day postponement should not materially affect our premier steeplechase meeting so far as the attendance is concerned. The following is the order of running:—

ORDER OF RUNNING.

WEDNESDAY.

	h. m.		h. m.
Tickell Challenge Cup	1 45	Kildare Hunt Cup	3 40
Drogheda Plate	2 20	Prince of Wales' Plate	4 20
Maiden Plate	3 0	Grand Military Cup	4 50

THURSDAY.

	h. m.		h. m.
Bishopscourt Cup	1 45	Conyngham Cup	3 40
Dawnshire Plate	2 20	Gowran Grange Plate	4 20
La Touche Memorial Cup	3 0	Kildare Hunt Plate	4 50

POINT-TO-POINT.

QUEEN'S COUNTY HUNT.

The above meeting took place on Friday over a fair hunting country at Clashboy, near Timahoe. The attendance was very good. Although the morning looked unfavourable, the country rode heavy after recent rains, but fields panned out well, forty horses taking part in the four events. There were few falls and no accidents. Details:—

FARMERS' RACE, light-weight. Three miles. Weights—12st.

Mr. G. Thompson's JIMMY .... Owner 1
Mr. Kelly's BALLYBOY .... Mr. H. Roe 2
Mr. Young's FLIPPER .... Owner 3

Also ran:—Republican Lass (Owner); Windgap (Mr. Empey); Tickler Toby (Mr. G. Thompson); Echo (Owner); The Coolen (Owner); Clonaslea (Mr. R. Seale); Toymount (Mr. L. Seale).

Won by a neck; same between second and third.

HEAVY-WEIGHTS—14st. 3½ miles.

Mr. H. Smith's PROSPECT .... Owner 1
Mr. M. Whelan's IVY-LEAF .... Mr. N. Maher 2
Mr. Joseph Lalor's HUGHES .... Mr. Pratt 3

Also ran:—Kylencourt (Owner); Bones (Mr. Grace); Little Steve (Mr. O. Slocock); Epicure (Mr. Slocock).

Ivy Leaf came in first, but having gone the wrong side of the winning post was disqualified, and being righted, secured second place; a bad third.

QUEEN'S CO. HUNT CUP (Open). Weights—12st. 7lb. 3½ miles.

Mr. H. Kenny's CAB LASS .... Owner 1
Mrs. O'Meara's JEFF .... Mr. P. Hearne 2
Mr. Holland's MOLLY .... Mr. Prendergast 3

Also ran:—Ballinacurra Lass (Mr. Alexander); Sweet Berry (Mr. Ryan); Tipperary Boy (Owner); Kosciusko (Mr. Clinton); Vixen (Owner); Gowran Girl (Mr. J. Kirwan); Whisper Low (Mr. Slocock).

Won easily by six lengths; three lengths between second and third.

LIGHT-WEIGHT RACE. Weights—12st. 7lb. 3½ miles.

Mrs. Slocock's KILMARTEN .... Mr. Slocock 1
Miss Dease's OBADIAH .... Mr. Jackson 2
Mr. Seale's SILVER TAIL .... Mr. R. Seale 3

Also ran:—Durrow Lass (Mr. Grace); Grey Lass (Mr. Thompson); May Blossom (Owner); Dandy (Mr. Duckett); Grey Mag (Owner); Brown Eyes (Mr. H. Roe.)

Won easily by three lengths; the same between second and third.

SEWELL'S PUNCHESTOWN SALES.

CHANGE OF DATES.

Owing to the change of dates of Punchestown Meeting, Messrs. Sewell have altered their arrangements in connection with this week's important hunter sales. Thus the first auction will be held on Friday, beginning at 10 o'clock and concluding [illegible]. This arrangement will suit people who wish to attend the sales and Leopardstown and Phoenix Park Races.

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IMPROVED SPORT AT THE MAZE.

There was a marked increase in the attendance at The Maze on Saturday, and the racing also was much more interesting than on the opening afternoon. In fact, it was quite an eventful day's sport, with the defeat of Fly Rose and the victories of Golden Rebel and Ellen's Dote the features, the latter incidentally making some amends for the unexpected defeat of his stable companion, Ellen Gibby, in the opening event, the Castlereagh Hurdle. For this, Mr. Duffy's mare was installed favourite from Waltzaway, and she must be considered unlucky not to have won, for, although twice baulked of openings, she made up ground so rapidly in the end that it was only by half a length that she was beaten by Crock Hill, with Waltzaway a short head off, the second. Kilcrutten experienced no difficulty in crediting Mr. A. Willis with the Lagan Plate, and Mr. Uprichard's stable immediately followed up that success by annexing the Gladiator's Plate with Flash o' Flame, who unceremoniously floored the odds laid on, Fly Rose, the favourite, being done with between the last two fences. Another much fancied one in Castle-robin succumbed in the Killultagh Plate, Our Queen scoring in a canter from Hackler's Linen, with Mr. Chester Nugent's gelding filling the third berth; and with Holeproof holding a long lead of Golden Rebel half-way up the straight, it seemed as if another reverse was in store for backers in the Hillsborough Plate, but the unexpected happened when Mullen's mount compounded before the challenge of Golden Rebel, who snatched the victory by half a length. Saxham was a hot favourite for the Maralin Plate at 6 to 4 on and 2 to 1 on, but he burst a blood vessel on the way to the post, and his number was withdrawn by permission. Lady Farasi was the next best in demand at twos, but when the straight was reached she had shot her bolt, and the 10 to 1 chance, Ellen's Dote, holding Hugh O'Neill at bay, won easily.

2.0—**THE CASTLEREAGH PLATE** of 100 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½m.

Captain J. Collins's b. h. CROCK HILL, by Kosmos Bey—Barley Hill, 6, 12-6 .... C. Aylin 1
Mr. W. Duffy's ELLEN GIBBY, a, 11-3 .... Mr. H. J. Delmege 2
Mr. R. J. Duggan's WALTZAWAY, a, 12-6 .... H. Beasley 3
Mr. M. V. McKeritt's Red Light, 5, 10-12 .... P. Powell 0
Mr. F. B. O'Toole's The Tatler, 5, 10-7 .... J. Moloney 0
Mr. R. J. Calwell's Aller, a, 10-0 .... M. Hines 0

(Winner trained by Mr. R. H. Walker.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Ellen Gibby, 5 to 2 Waltzaway, 3 to 1 CROCK HILL, 5 to 1 The Tatler, 100 to 1 any other.

Red Light and The Tatler made the running, with Crock Hill and Ellen Gibby the last pair, until half a mile from home, when The Tatler dropped back, and Waltzaway shot out, attended by Crock Hill, with Ellen Gibby fast making up ground. At the last hurdles Crock Hill drew to the front, followed by Waltzaway, who was passed by Ellen Gibby in the run home, Crock Hill winning by half a length; a short head.

2.30—**THE LAGAN PLATE** of 75 sovs. A handicap flat race. 7f. 60yds.

Mr. A. Willis's br. g. KILCRUTTIN, by Kilcleagh, dam by Amphidamus—Undula, 5, 9-6 .... J. Dines 1
Captain Dixon's KNOCKBUNCE, 5, 9-5 .... H. Beasley 2
Mr. P. Cullinan's CLYTOI, 4, 8-9 .... T. Kelly, jun 3
Mr. F. Barbour's Doctor's Call, 4, 10-0 .... C. Aylin 0
Mr. J. H. C. Bartholomew's Gutter Snipe, 3, 10-0 .... P. Powell 0
Mr. J. H. McCammon's Ballywilliam, a, 9-1 .... J. Mullen 0

(Winner trained by Mr. W. Uprichard.)

Betting—Evens KILCRUTTIN, 2 to 1 agst. Knockbunce, 6 to 1 Clytoi, 20 to 1 any other.

Knockbunce cut out the work from Guttersnipe, Ballywilliam, Kilcruttin, and Doctor's Call for half the distance, when Kilcruttin assumed command, and won easily by four lengths; one length. Doctor's Call was fourth and Ballywilliam next.

3.0—**THE GLADIATORS' PLATE** of 100 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3m.

Captain F. G. Uprichard's ch. g. FLASH O' FLAME, by Gallvata—Roseglass, a, 11-7 .... J. Moloney 1
Mr. F. Barbour's FLY ROSE, a, 11-0 .... C. Aylin 2
Major H. C. Robinson's TEMPLESCOBY, a, 11-3 .... M. Hines 3
Mr. E. Crangle's Rory Oge II., 6, 9-9 .... P. Powell 0

(Winner trained by Mr. W. Uprichard.)

Betting—5 to 4 on Fly Rose, 6 to 4 agst FLASH O' FLAME, 7 to 1 Templescoby, 25 to 1 Rory Oge II.

Rory Oge II. settled down from Templescoby and Flash o' Flame for a mile and a half, when Rory Oge II. dropped back, and Templescoby came on from Flash o' Flame and Fly Rose. Between the last two fences Flash o' Flame headed Templescoby, and won easily by four lengths; same. Rory Oge II. did not complete the course.

3.30—**THE KILLULTAGH PLATE** of 60 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 2m.

Mr. J. Gibson's b. m. OUR QUEEN, by Athleague—Adorned Queen, a, 11-7 .... P. Mullen 1
Mr. J. Gibson's HACKLER'S LINEN, a, 12-0 .... Fleming 2
Mr. Chester Nugent's CASTLEROBIN, 6, 12-0 .... C. Aylin 3
Captain W. Murland's Alnadna, a, 11-9 .... J. Murphy 0
[illegible]

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Castlerobin, 2 to 1 OUR QUEEN, 100 to 12 any other.

Ashpark settled down with a long lead of Castlerobin and Hackler's Linen for half the distance, when Our Queen drew to the front, and, making the remainder of the running, won in a canter by twenty-five lengths; two and a half lengths. Ballyholme was fourth.

4.0—**THE HILLSBOROUGH PLATE** of 100 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 2m.

Mrs. Croft's ch. g. GOLDEN REBEL, by Wavelet's Pride—May Lily, 5, 11-2 .... P. Grace 1
Mr. J. W. Murland's HOLEPROOF, 6, 11-5 .... P. Mullen 2
Mr. G. J. Ball's REVOL-MINE, a, 11-5 .... H. Delmege 3
Mr. J. H. C. Bartholomew's Malahide, a, 11-5 .... M. Hynes 0
Mr. Jas. Fox's Mount Etna, 5, 11-2 .... P. Powell 0

(Winner trained by Mr. H. Ussher.)

Betting—3 to 1 on GOLDEN REBEL, 5 to 1 each agst. Holeproof and Revol-Mine, 10 to 1 any other.

On settling down Holeproof held a commanding lead of Golden Rebel, Revol-Mine, and Malahide, and there was no change in that order until half way down the straight, when Golden Rebel challenged, and, getting the better of Holeproof, won by half a length; fifty lengths. Mount Etna was fourth.

4.30—**THE MARALIN PLATE** of 75 sovs. A flat race. Weight for age, etc. 1¼ m.

Mr. W. Duffy's b. g. ELLEN'S DOTE, by Saxham—Miss Ellen, 6, 9-7 .... P. Fleming 1
Mr. J. C. M'Keever's HUGH O'NEILL, 5, 11-0 .... C. Aylin 2
Mr. C. J. Bentley's BALLINODE, 6, 10-7 .... J. Moloney 3
Mr. J. Barron's Lady Farasi, a, [illegible] .... J. Dines 0
Mr. J. H. C. Bartholomew's Palman, 5, 9-7 .... P. Powell 0
Mr. J. C. O'Neill's Red Rona, [illegible], 9-7 .... D. Carolin 0
Mr. Jas. Frame's Munition Girl, a, 9-7 .... P. Mullen 0
Mr. A. Morrow's Shining Jug, 3, 8-13 .... M. Hynes 0

Mr. H. I. Ussher's Saxham, 5, 9-7, was weighed out for H. Beasley, but burst a blood vessel on the way to the post, and did not come under the starter's orders.

(Winner trained by Mr. E. Delany.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Lady Farasi, 3 to 1 Hugh O'Neill, 5 to 1 Ballinode, 10 to 1 ELLEN'S DOTE or any other.

Lady Farasi came on from Shining Jug, Munition Girl, and Ellen's Dote, and so they ran to the straight, where Ellen's Dote drew out to win easily by five lengths; three lengths. Munition Girl was fourth.

METROPOLITAN (BALDOYLE) RACES,

WHIT MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

Entries for the following races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 26th inst., with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

FIRST DAY.

BALDOYLE HANDICAP of 300 sovs. Seven furlongs.

KINSEALY PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old, from mares whose produce has not, up to time of entry, in Great Britain or Ireland, won a race value 300 sovs. Five furlongs.

STRAND PLATE of 200 sovs. A flat race for three years old and upwards. One mile, one furlong and eighty yards.

FLYING PLATE of 150 sovs. A flat race for maidens, three years old and upwards. Five furlongs.

MALAHIDE PLATE of 200 sovs. A welter handicap flat race. One mile, seven furlongs.

SECOND DAY.

HOWTH PLATE of 300 sovs. Handicap. Five furlongs.

FOXHALL PLATE of 200 sovs. A flat race. For three years old and upwards. One mile and three-quarters.

SEASIDE PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old that are maidens at starting. Five furlongs.

KILLESTER PLATE of 100 sovs. A flat race. For horses that have never won a flat race of any value under Rules of Racing in any country, or a steeplechase or hurdle race either value 40 sovs. One mile, seven furlongs.

RAHENY PLATE of 150 sovs. A selling flat race. For three years old and upwards. Winner to be sold for 100 sovs. Five furlongs.

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CURRAGH MAY MEETING, 1922.

MAY 23rd, 24th, and 25th.

The following races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, to Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin:—

FIRST DAY.

SCURRY PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap. Six furlongs sixty-three yards.

BALLYMANY PLATE of 100 sovs. For three years old and upwards that have never won a race value 100 sovs. One mile and a quarter.

MADDENSTOWN PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap for three years old. One mile.

SECOND DAY.

PADDOCK PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. Five furlongs.

THIRD DAY.

OFFALY PLATE of 200 sovs. For three years old and upwards that have not been placed first, second, or third in any race under any rules. One mile and a half.

HARE HILL PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap, for horses that have not since March 1st, 1920, won a race value 100 sovs. or for horses that have not at any time won a race run over a greater distance than five furlongs. Six furlongs sixty-three yards.

BROWNSTOWN PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. Winner to be sold for 100 sovs. Five furlongs.

APPRENTICES' PLATE of 100 sovs. For horses that have never won a race value 100 sovs. One mile.

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SANDOWN PARK.

DAYDAWN WINS INTERNATIONAL STEEPLECHASE.

FOREST FIRE'S SMART DISPLAY.

The jumping meeting at Sandown on Saturday not attract the large crowds that had followed flat racing earlier in the week, the members' enclosure in particular being comparatively deserted. No doubt the adverse conditions, for it had rained heavily from dawn, were largely responsible. The downpour, however, had the good effect of improving the going, and some capital sport was provided. Knockcroghery II., who has previously run in better company, was a lucky winner of the Pavilion Steeplechase, for Impressioner had apparently taken his measure when he blundered at the last fence. By a clever aerobatic effort Mr. Brown succeeded in regaining his seat, and set off after the favourite, but could not quite get up in time.

There was, too, an element of luck about the success of Mr. Bottomley's 10 to 1 winner, Nareesh, for it is probable Wootton would have won on Saxham Prince but for being badly baulked when Greenmount ran out.

Some useful 'chasers were seen out in the International Steeplechase, a noticeable feature of which was that every one of the starters completed the course in safety. The top weight, Garryvoe, was apparently set too severe a task, and, though fencing as perfectly as usual, he was never going sufficiently well to suggest winning. J. Hogan, junr., the Irish jockey, gave another fine display of steeplechase riding on the winner, Daydawn. He was content to keep behind until some six furlongs from home. Then he quickly moved up from last to first, and though Golcar headed him round the turn, it was only on sufferance, and Daydawn, who is a better horse over this course than elsewhere, was quite an easy winner.

Front Line gave still another unsatisfactory display in the Great Sandown Hurdle, for which he was the chief choice, for after threatening in the straight to trouble Forest Fire, he unmistakably cut it when Captain Bennet applied the whip. Duller, who had refused three other mounts in favour of Forest Fire, secured his favourite position on the rails early on, and never relinquished it. Wing Commander fell, and Spoil Five, also from Poole's stable, slipped up on the flat when going like a winner in the Criterion (Amateur Riders') Steeplechase, and Pay Only, who, like Daydawn, is very partial to this track, was always in front, and gave her enthusiastic young owner, Mr. W. F. Sankey, a pleasant ride.

2.0—**PAVILION SELLING H'CAP 'CHASE,** £200. Second £5. 2m.

Mr. H. Lines' b. m. KNOCKCROGHERY II., by Opposer, dam by Detonator, a, 12-2 .... Capt. Bennett 1
Lord Londesborough's IMPRESSIONER, a, 10-10 .... Mr. H. A. Brown 2
Mr. Dollar's GAY SCHOLAR, 6, 11-7 .... Healey 3

Also ran:—Mawgoory, a, 11-13 (Fletcher); Coolgreen, a, 11-9 (D. Dick); Archie's Girl, a, 11-4 (I. Morgan); Governor Wood, a, 12-2 (F. Wootton); Gem, 6, 11-11 (J. Hogan, jun.); The Grove, a, 9-9 (Hedges); Schiddles, a, 10-10 (P. Lestrange). (Winner trained by Lines.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. KNOCKCROGHERY II., 4 to 1 Impressioner, 7 to 1 Governor Wood, 8 to 1 Schiddles, 10 to 1 bar four.

Won by a length and a half; a length separated second and third. Gem was fourth.

The winner was sold to Lord Londesborough for 380 gs. Mawgoory was bought by Mr. P. Thurlow for 100 gs.

2.30—**ST. JAMES'S SELLING HURDLE RACE,** £200. Second £5. 2m.

Mr. H. Bottomley's b. c. NAREESH, by Ouadi Halfa—Dusky Bride, a, 10-12 .... A. Cox 1
Mr. Saunders' SANS DOUTE, 4, 10-7 .... G. Wall 2
Mr. H. Liddell's SPEEN, a, 11-7 .... J. Rennison 3

Also ran:—Submit, a, 11-7 (Capt. Bennett); Simon's Craft, 6, 11-7 (F. B. Rees); Greenmount, a, 11-2 (F. Winter); Ballyhandy, a, 11-7 (G. Duller); Saxham Prince, a, 11-7 (Vanter); Divinity, 4, 10-7 (G. Pellerin). (Winner trained by Hare.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Saxham Prince, 4 to 1 each Speen and Ballyhandy, 5 to 1 Greenmount, 10 to 1 each Divinity and NAREESH, 100 to 8 bar four.

Won by three lengths; a length and a half separated second and third. Saxham Prince was fourth.

The winner was bought in for 340 gs.

3.0—**GRAND INTERNATIONAL H'CAP 'CHASE,** £500. Second £75, third £25. 3½ m.

Baron F. de Tuyll's b. g. DAYDAWN, by Bungebah—Princess Olga, a, 11-7 .... J. Hogan, jun. 1
Lord Sayile's GOLCAR, a, 11-0 .... F. Morgan 2
Mr. P. Ivall's MY RATH, a, 11-2 .... D. Dick 3

Mr. C. B. Ismay's Garryvoe, a, 12-4 .... J. R. Anthony 0
Mr. Curtis' Square Dance, a, 11-10 .... F. B. Rees 0
Major Crossley's Bill Murphy, a, 9-10 .... W. Madden 0
Sir H. Meux's White Surrey, a, 11-0 .... A. Escott 0
Lord Woolavington's Culprit, a, 10-13 .... J. J. Kelly 0

(Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Garryvoe, 4 to 1 each DAYDAWN, Square Dance, and Golcar, 100 to 8 Culprit, My Rath, 10 to 1 White Surrey, 100 to 8 Culprit.

Golcar settled down from White Surrey, Culprit, and My Rath, with Daydawn last. Passing the stands the second time the order was—Culprit, Golcar, Bill Murphy, and My Rath. Seven furlongs from home Daydawn raced into the lead, attended by Golcar and Culprit, and, making practically the remainder of the running, won by five lengths. The same distance separated second and third. White Surrey was fourth, Square Dance fifth, Culprit next, and Bill Murphy last.

3.30—**GREAT SANDOWN H'CAP HURDLE RACE,** £400. Second £35, third £15. 2 m.

Mr. P. Heybourn's b. c. FOREST FIRE, by Florist—Chain Shot, 4, 11-3 .... G. Duller 1
Mrs. P. Wodehouse's FRONT LINE, 6, 12-7 .... Capt. Bennett 2
Mr. H. Bistrave's DOUBLE BED, 5, 12-0 .... P. Wootton 3

Also ran:—Forarity, 8, 11-3 (J. Rennison); Wing Commander, 5, 10-5 (T. O'Sullivan); Rattle Snake, 4, 11-1 (Reardon); King's Coat, a, 10-11 (M. Tighe). (Winner trained by Bell.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Front Line, 3 to 1 FOREST FIRE, 4 to 1 Double Bed, 5 to 1 Rattle Snake, 10 to 1 any other.

Won easily by six lengths; two lengths separated second and third.

Forest Fire made play from Forarity, Front Line, and King's Coat, Double Bed bringing up the rear. Half-way Forest Fire was in front of Front Line, King's Coat, and Rattlesnake, and leading throughout, Forest Fire won easily by six lengths, Front Line defeating Double Bed by two lengths for second place. Rattlesnake was fourth and King's Coat last.

4.0—**CRITERION (AMATEUR RIDERS') H'CAP 'CHASE,** £200. Second £20, third £10. 2½ m.

Mr. W. Sankey's ch. m. PAY ONLY, by Walmsgate—Teddie III., a, 12-4 .... Owner 1
Mr. D. C. McIver's NEW LADY, a, 11-6 .... Capt. Bennett 2
Capt. R. Vivian's LOCH ALLEN, a, 11-10 .... Owner 3

Also ran:—Spoil Five, a, 12-4 (Mr. Pulford); Archie's Girl, a, 10-13 (car. 11-2) (Capt. Heaton); Animosity, a, 11-8 (Major Cavanagh); Simonides, a, 11-5 (Mr. S. Lloyd); Macbeth, a, 10-11 (car. 11-1) (Owner.) (Winner trained by H. Brown.)

Betting—5 to 2 Spoil Five, 4 to 1 PAY ONLY, 9 to 2 New Lady, 6 to 1 Simonides, 7 to 1 Loch Allen 10 to 1 any other.

Won by four lengths; eight lengths separated second and third. Animosity was fourth.

4.30—**KINGSTON H'CAP HURDLE RACE,** £200. Second £20, third £10. 2½ m.

Mr. Parker's ch. c. RIVETTER, by Stedfast—Stolen Armour, 5, 10-13 .... Pellerin 1
Mr. D. Barnett's ULSTER DIVISION, 5, 11-4 .... J. Hogan, jun. 2
Mr. Z. G. Michalinos' ARIS, a, 11-2 .... J. Anthony 3

Also ran:—Sybarite, a, 11-5 (W. Smyth); Derryboy II., 8, 10-12 (Chadwick); Atlantic Flight, 4, 10-10 (Capt. Bennett); Perico, 5, 10-4 (A. Escott); Dorado, 6, 12-1 (F. B. Rees); Wildfellow, a, 11-11 (L. B. Rees); Chubb, a, 11-9 (F. Wootton); Glenefly, a, 11-5 (G. Duller.) (Winner trained by S. Wootton.)

Betting—5 to 2 Ulster Division, 4 to 1 each Aris and Glenefly, 7 to 1 Chubb, 8 to 1 Dorado, 10 to 1 Sybarite, RIVETTER, and Atlantic Flight, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by two lengths; four lengths separated second and third. Dorado was fourth.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

Wednesday and Thursday—Punchestown.
Friday—Leopardstown.
Saturday—Phoenix Park.

ENGLAND.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday—Newmarket.
Tuesday and Wednesday—Worcester.
Thursday and Friday—Ludlow.
Saturday—Hurst Park.

SCOTLAND.

Saturday—Ayr.

THE TWO THOUSAND GUINEAS.

(Run To-morrow at Newmarket. 1 m.)

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

His Majesty's WEATHERVANE, by Lemberg—Vain Air, 9st. (R. Marsh) .... H. Jones.
Lord Durham's ARCHITECT, by Tracery—Mistrella, 9st. (F. Peck) .... Whalley.
Lord Wavertree's BAYDON, by Russley—Many Lands, 9st. (Peacock) ....
Lord Woolavington's CAPTAIN CUTTLE, by Hurry On—Bellavista, 9st. (F. Darling) .... V. Smyth.
Maj. G. Loder's CLACKMANNAN, by Lomond—Pretty Polly, 9st. (Gilpin) ....
Mr. Barclay Walker's CRAIGANGOWER, by Polymelus—Fortuna, 9st. (F. Hartigan) .... M. Beary.
Mr. J. White's NOBLESSE OBLIGE, by The Tetrarch—Honora, 9st. (Cottrill) .... S. Donoghue. Or
Mr. J. White's NORSEMAN, by Roi Herode—Lady Noreland's, 9st. (Cottrill) .... S. Donoghue.
Lord Queenborough's ST. LOUIS, by Louvois—Princess Sterling, 9st. (Gilpin) .... Archibald.
Mr. E. Moore's LEMBACH, by Lemberg—Miss Portland, 9st. (R. Day) ....
Mr. F. Bibby's NORTH END, by Sunstar—Tullia, 9st. (W. R. Jarvis) .... Wragg.
Major Cayzer's POISONED ARROW, by Spearmint—White Lie, 9st. (R. Gooch) .... F. Fox.
Mr. Sol Joel's PONDOLAND, by Pommern—Gourouli, 9st. (De Mestre) .... Bellhouse.
Mr. C. Kenyon's SIR GREYSTEEL, by Roi Herode—Grania, 9st. (Baxley) .... Jelliss.
Maj. L. B. Holliday's SILPHO, by Corcyra—Dittany, 9st. (Lines) .... H. Wheatley.
Mr. J. Reid Walker's STAR AND GARTER, by Sunstar—She, 9st. (Bassor) ....
Viscount Astor's TAMAR, by Tracery—Hamoaze, 9st. (Taylor) .... F. Bullock.
Mr. W. E. Whineray's WESTMEAD, by William Rufus—Star of Eve, 9st. (Cottrill) .... Evans.

ENNIS RACES,

To be held under the Rules of Racing and I.N.H.S. Rules and General Conditions of Meeting.

FLAT, HURDLE AND STEEPLECHASES, Over the Old Famed Ballycorree Course, within half a mile of the town of Ennis, G.S. and W. Railway, FRIDAY, MAY 12th, 1922.

All Races Close TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), the 26th APRIL, 1922, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin. Telegrams—"Turfclub," Dublin.—(Advt.)

STOCKTON.

SATURDAY'S RACING.

SILVER BAND AGAIN SUCCESSFUL.

1.45—**BISHOPTON SELLING PLATE,** £150. 1 m.

Mr. A. B. Walker's b. c. ULYSSES, by Polymelus—Will Return, 4, 8-8 .... M. Beary 1
Mr. H. Beckett's IRRIGATE, 3, 7-0 .... D. Gordon 2
Mr. W. Brown's DEBBETT, 3, 7-5 (car. 7-6) .... D. McGuigan 3

Also ran—Plum, 4, 8-11 (C. Parker); La Guerre Fini, 4, 7-13 (J. Watt); Wander Lust, 4, 8-4 (R. Steel); Revolt, 3, 7-3 (J. Clancy); Mannik, 3, 7-0 (A. Cooper). (Winner trained by Hartigan.)

Betting—9 to 4 on ULYSSES, 5 to 1 agst. Irrigate, 7 to 1 Plum, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; the same distance separated second and third.

The winner was bought in for 710 guineas.

2.15—**WOLVISTON WELTER HANDICAP PLATE** of 200 sovs. Second, 10 sovs. 6 f.

Lord Durham's b. c. SURCOAT, by Sir Archibald—Caparison, 5, 10-5 .... A. Whalley 1
Captain A. Wilson's VIVIANI, a, 9-5 .... Taylor 2
Mr. N. H. Scott's EASTBRIDGE, 4, 7-7 .... C. Parker 3

Also ran—Danegelt, 5, 9-9 (R. Crisp); Lord Penmance, 4, 8-12 (Thwaites); Grimm, 4, 8-3 (J. Ledson); Acrocephalus, a, 8-2 (P. Jones); Blaceun, 3, 7-12 (Piper); Happy, 4, 7-12 (D. McGuigan). (Winner trained by Peck.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. SURCOAT, 3 to 1 Blaceun, 6 to 1 Grimm, 7 to 1 Viviani, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by half a length; three lengths separated second and third.

An objection to the winner for crossing was withdrawn on the request of Captain Stanley Wilson.

2.45—**NORTH YORKSHIRE HANDICAP,** a Plate of 400 sovs. Second, 25 sovs.; third, 10 sovs. 1 m.

Mr. T. Bolton's ch. h. ARLINGTON, by Aiglon—Ruckings, 5, 7-11 .... P. Jones 1
Lord Zetland's MERCURIUS, 4, 8-5 .... H. Jelliss 2
Mr. Boazman's ABBOT OF JERVAULX, 4, 7-10 .... C. Parker 3
Lord Durham's Carapace, 6, 9-3 .... A. Whalley 0
Mr. Sol Joel's Polymestor, 4, 8-13 .... H. Wragg 0
Mr. C. Kenyon's Lemstar, 4, 8-0 .... W. Balding 0
Mr. F. Hartigan's Red Ronald, 4, 7-13 (car. 8-1) .... M. Beary 0
Mr. S. Rose's Knockanour, 4, 7-12 .... G. Walsh 0
Mr. N. Scott's Killadoon, a, 6-7 .... R. Ramsden 0

(Winner trained by Bottrill.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Abbot of Jervaulx, 4 to 1 each Carapace and Mercurius, 6 to 1 each Polymestor and Knockanour, 7 to 1 Red Ronald, 100 to 8 ARLINGTON or any other.

Won by two lengths; five lengths separated second and third.

3.15—**DARLTON T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE,** £150. 5 f.

Mr. S. Beer's f. RESPONDENT, by Bridge of Earn—Fair Offender, 8-6 .... J. Leach 1
Mr. R. Harley's HILLTHORPE, 8-9 .... L. Brown 2
Capt. J. Renwick's LILLA CROSS, 8-4 .... J. Watt 3

Also ran—Dod Flight, 8-12 (J. Ledson); Mekometer c., by Harry of Hereford, 8-9 (P. Jones); Hippo, 8-9 (Crisp); Black Dolly, 8-1 (J. Clancy); Wise Woman, 8-6 (Thwaites); Domina, 8-6 (M. Jelliss); Bon Start, 8-6 (C. Fox); Ayah f., by Red-wood, 8-6 (M. Beary); Auntie I., 8-6 (A. Clarke), disq. (Winner trained by Leach, jun.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. RESPONDENT, 9 to 4 Hillthorpe, 6 to 1 Domina, 10 to 1 Auntie I., 100 to 8 any other.

Auntie I. won by half a length; two lengths separated second and third.

An objection to Auntie I. for crossing was sustained, and the race awarded to Respondent. Lilla Cross, who finished fourth in the race, becomes third.

The winner was bought in for 420 gns.

3.45—**FAIRFIELD T.Y.O. PLATE,** £200. Second £10. 5 f.

Lt.-Col. Hopkins's b. f. HOME STAR, by Sunstar—Santa Casa II., 8-9 .... H. Wragg 1
Capt. G. C. Davy's OLIVE BELL C., 8-9 .... A. Whalley 2
Mrs. W. Beer's NORTHERN STAR, 8-12 .... J. Leach 3

Also ran—Contempt c., by Phaleron, 8-12 (H. Jelliss); Bonne Nuit, 8-9 (W. Balding); Sand Castle, 8-12 (H. Calder); Opportunity, 8-9 (Piper); Maria Monk, 8-9 (R. Gordon); Phantom Cynnie, 8-9 (J. Ledson); (J. Clancy). (Winner trained by Colling.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Olive Bell c., 3 to 1 Northern Star, 5 to 1 Phantom Cynnie, 6 to 1 each Sand Castle and HOME STAR, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a length; half a length separated second and third.

4.15—**CRATHORNE PLATE,** £250. For maidens at closing. Second £20, third £10. 1½ m.

Capt. Wilson's b. c. SILVER BAND, by Bridge of Earn—Shimmer, 3, 7-4 .... Thwaites 1
Mr. O. Kenyon's GEISHA GIRL, 3, 7-4 (car. 7-5) .... Girdley 2
Mrs. S. Warnaby's GILCRUX, 3, 7-4 .... D. McGuigan 3

Also ran—Lambswool, 5, 9-5 (D. Taylor); Sandhead, 4, 8-11 (Jelliss); Tenax, 3, 7-7 (H. Wragg); Flower Seller, 3, 7-4 (D. Gordon). (Winner trained by J. Renwick.)

Betting—9 to 4 on SILVER BAND, 7 to 2 agst. Gilcrux, 10 to 1 Tenax, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; six lengths separated second and third.

KELSO MEETING—SATURDAY.

1.30—**BOWMONT HURDLE RACE** of 70 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 1.32.)

Mrs. R. Don's ch. c. MANLY BOY, by Bowman—Via, 4, 11-4 .... Croney 1
Sir George Renwick's MIDDLESBORO', 4, [illegible] .... Riley 2
Mr. J. Johnstone's CLONGRENANE, a, 11-1 .... Rickaby 3

Also ran—Plyoial (Livesey); Steelpark (Walkinson); Gold Flake (Watkins). Winner trained by Thompson.)

Betting—6 to 4 on MANLY BOY, 4 to 1 agst. Clongrenane, 5 to 1 Plyoial, 6 to 1 each Middlesboro' and Gold Flake, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; two lengths.

2.0—**SPRINGWOOD STEEPLECHASE** of 70 sovs. (Started at 2.0.)

Mr. J. McLean's br. g. CAMELOT, by Kroonstad—Arthur's Love, a, 12-0 .... Watkins 1
Major Ian Straker's GAMEBOOK, a, 12-0 .... Kay 2
Lt.-Col. R. Thompson's ZETA, 6, 12-0 .... Mahoney 3

Also ran—White Swan (J. Weymes); Fine Silk (Hammett). (Winner trained by McGuigan.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. CAMELOT, 3 to 1 White Swan, 4 to 1 Zeta, 5 to 1 Gamebook, 8 to 1 Fine Silk.

Won by five lengths.

2.30—**SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE** of 70 sovs. 2 m. (Started at 2.30.)

Mr. W. Don's gr. h. IRISH LACE, by Roi Herode—Bannagroe, 5, 11-6 .... Croney 1
Mr. J. C. Dickson's JOHANNETTA, 5, 11-8 .... Riley 2
Mr. J. Watson's MARNIX, a, 10-11 .... Watson 3

Also ran—Simon Ashton (Kay); King's Mistake (F. Armstrong). (Winner trained by Thompson.)

Betting—2 to 1 on IRISH LACE, 5 to 1 agst. Johannetta, 6 to 1 each Marnix and Simon Ashton, 10 to 1 King's Mistake.

Won by three lengths; eight lengths.

3.0—**ROXBURGHE HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 100 sovs. 3 m. (Started at 3.4.)

Mr. J. Johnstone's b. g. RIFLE GRANADE, by Bomba—Argument, a, 10-2 .... Rickaby 1
Mr. Adam Scott's SIRUP, a, 10-8 .... Fearon 2
Mr. J. W. Burnett's DUNSTANBURGH, a, 12-1 .... Livesey 3

(Winner trained by Vasey.)

Betting—Evens Dunstanburgh, 2 to 1 agst. RIFLE GRANADE, 4 to 1 Sirup.

Won by a neck; six lengths.

3.30—**BUCCLEUCH 'CHASE,** £50. 2½ m. (Started at 3.35.)

Mr. J. H. Brydon's KALCUP II, a, 12-10 .... Knowles 1
Mr. G. F. Bell's DELPHINE II, a, 12-5 .... Mr. Cockton 2

Also ran—Royal Dawn (Mr. Davison); Snotty (Mr. Mulholland). (Winner trained privately.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. KALCUP II., 6 to 4 Royal Dawn, 5 to 1 Snotty, 6 to 1 Delphine II.

Won by a distance. Snotty and Royal Dawn fell.

4.0—**SUNLAWS HURDLE RACE,** £70. 2 m. (Started at 4.5.)

Mr. W. Don's ch. g. SWINDLE, by Swynford—Clairvoyante, 5, 12-2 .... Croney 1
Mr. G. Baxter's UNION JACK, 4, 11-6 .... Mr. Gunter 2
Mr. Adam Scott's WATERBOTTLE, a, 12-1 .... Heard 3

Also ran—Guy Agnew (J. Kay). (Winner trained by Thomson.)

Betting 6 to 4 agst. Union Jack, 2 to 1 Waterbottle, 3 to 1 SWINDLE, 10 to 1 Guy Agnew.

Won by a length; 6 lengths.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

In our report of the Sandown Park Meeting in Saturday's issue it was stated through inadvertence that Decagone, the dam of Tetragon, the winner of the Stud Produce Stakes, was purchased by Lord Furness when carrying that filly. This is incorrect, as Tetragon was bred at Lord Furness's stud at Gilltown, Co. Kildare, where her three-year-old sister, Quarter Deck, was also bred.

As will be seen on reference to an advertisement elsewhere, the Curragh Camp Sports Club is for immediate disposal. It is a compact, comfortable, appointed building, and should be suitable for golf, lawn tennis, or cricket club pavilion. Full particulars can be obtained from Messrs. Goff and Co., Newbridge, Co. Kildare.

Owners and trainers are reminded that entries for the Metropolitan (Baldoyle) Whitsuntide Meeting close to-morrow (Wednesday) with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin. A capital programme has been issued.

Kennythorpe finished second in the Newgart Handicap at Stockton on Friday, not Galloping Slav, whose number was hoisted in error.

The Sandown Park Stewards opened an inquiry into the running of Forest Fire at Manchester on last Tuesday, as compared to his form on Saturday in the Sandown Hurdle Race. Having heard the explanation of both the owner and trainer of the horse, the Stewards decided to accept it.

Mr. W. Uprichard, the North of Ireland trainer, brought off a double event at the Maze on Saturday with Kilcruttin and Flash o' Flame.

The Duc Decazes has entered his Irish 'chaser, Waterford, for the Brussels Grand Steeplechase, to be run next Sunday.

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LACROSSE.

DEFEAT OF OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE TEAM IN U.S.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

Syracuse to-day defeated the Oxford and Cambridge Lacrosse Team by 4 goals to 3.

WORCESTER.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND FANCIES.

Midlanders favour the nearer home Worcester National Hunt gathering rather than attempting the long journey for the Newmarket classical events under Jockey Club rules. At the moment the Pitchcroft is in ideal galloping condition, and there will be plenty of runners. The intricacies of the programme, however, are intimidating for tipsters. My selections are as follow:—

Minor Hurdle—Boyne Water.
Pitchcroft Selling Hurdle—Shieling.
City Hurdle Handicap—Benediction.
Kempsey Steeplechase—Fair Cause.
Hunters' Handicap—Swivel.
Moderate Handicap—Phaco.

PROGRAMME.

1.45—MINOR H'CAP HURDLE, £100. 2 m.

Challow (Mrs. F. M. Lloyd); Glenfarg (Mr. J. Patrick); Llangarren (Mr. P. W. Shaw); Willblend (Lord Glanely); Coriopsis (Mr. F. Thurlow); Black Magic (Major H. E. Lyons); Swimmer (Mr. A. D. MacAlpine); Wing Commander (Mr. F. W. Ingram); Wild Pam (Mr. G. B. Brown); Wanton (Mr. T. J. Morris); Life Buoy (Sir H. Webb); Frills (Mr. F. W. Ingram); Green Vine (Capt. H. E. de Trafford); Cobbler's Wax (Lord Sefton); Patlander (Mr. C. H. F. Kindersley); Nonchalante (Mr. J. Widger); Responsible (Mr. P. W. Wilmot); Joli Coeur (Mr. C. Jackson); Gamli (Mr. S. Wootton); Early Bun (Mr. J. E. Foden); Stormfruit (Mr. C. F. Kenyon); Green Lane (Mr. W. Catling); Glandubra (Mr. W. A. Bankier); Saintly Sinner (Mr. G. Duller); Woodchurch (Mr. C. S. Clarke). [ages and weights illegible]

Other Sporting News will be found on Page 7.

2.20—PITCHCROFT SELLING HURDLE of 100 sovs. 2m.

Winslade (Mr. C. Adamson); Ambridge (Mr. T. Baker); Shieling (Mr. D. W. Barnett); The Minorite (Mrs. G. N. Bennett); Bilston [illegible] (Mrs. A. Bickley); [illegible] (Mr. R. O. Colls); Cameleon (Mrs. H. Colmore); Sontley (Mr. H. Dyke Dennis); Ponteland (Mr. G. A. Duller); Endymion (Mr. G. A. Egerton); Mountain Dawn (Mr. C. George); Fortune (Mr. H. Glover); Fitzpicton (Mr. J. Hutton); Care Free (Mr. J. Hutton); Old Chap (Mr. C. P. Kirk); Brianwood (Mr. M. Lewis); Nellie Gough (Mr. T. Nolan); Gipsy Lad (Mr. J. Patrick); Lady Palatine (Mr. H. Rhodes); Bravo (Mr. A. L. S. Rose); Lucid (Mr. B. Rowland); Henri Martin (Mr. W. R. Sadler); Hampstead Heath (Mr. F. Slowburn); Jack Sheppard (Mr. A. Smith); [illegible] (Mr. E. Wilkes); [illegible] (Mr. W. Wren). [ages and weights illegible]

2.50—CITY HURDLE H'CAP, £150. 2 m.

[entries illegible]

3.30—KEMPSEY SELLING 'CHASE, £100. 2 m.

[entries illegible]

4.0—HUNTERS' H'CAP 'CHASE, £150. 2 m.

Green Wavelet (Miss S. O'Brien); Any Time (Mr. G. W. Hands); White Cockade (Mr. J. W. Wood); [illegible]

4.30—MODERATE CLASS HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Scotch Ben (Mr. H. N. Magill); Arabian Knight (Mr. J. P. Westlake); Piddle Bridge (Mr. W. A. Bankier); Port Elizabeth (Mr. H. McAlinden); Phaco (Mrs. H. Peel); Cemeside (Mr. T. L. Walker); Blue Diamond (Mr. E. Moore); Gem (Mr. G. Skipper); Some Dancer (Mr. G. Brennan); White House (Mr. H. J. Bruston); Nothing On (Mr. J. P. Stratton); Mabu (Capt. A. Gollan); Nada (Mr. H. Glover); Tara King (Col. R. P. Croft); Dafur (Mr. C. Francis); Suitus (Mr. S. Oram); Drumbuck (Mr. C. F. Kenyon); Blastino (Mr. F. Lloyd); Baltazar II. (Mr. Broughton); Jack Boore (Ld. Haddington); Little England (Mrs. P. Platts); Sinbad III. (Lt.-Col. A. C. Little); Matcho Paani (Mrs. G. N. Bennett); Dornoch (Mr. H. B. Johnson); King's Favourite (Mr. E. Downes). [ages and weights illegible]

ARRIVALS.—Black Magic, Endymion, Boyne Water, Golden Melody, Spoil Five, Frills, Henri Martin, Mayhap, Green Lane.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Two Thousand Guineas—Star and Garter, Blue Ensign, Great Star, Drakeedrum, Hebrides, and Snell, at 9 a.m. on Saturday.

One Thousand Guineas—Lady Ada.

Chester Cup—Great Joy, at 9 a.m. on Saturday.

Two Thousand Guineas Trial Plate, Newmarket—Shandon Bells.

Bretby Handicap, Newmarket—Polesta.

Risby Three-Year-Old Plate, Newmarket—Holy Willie.

Peel Handicap, Newmarket—Noragos.

Hastings Plate, Newmarket—Great Star.

March Stakes, Newmarket—Westward Ho and Lighthearted.

Ely Plate, Newmarket—Great Star.

NEWMARKET MEETING.

Two Thousand Guineas and Maiden 3-Y.O. Plate—Lofox.

One Thousand Guineas—Lona, Alienor, and Lady Georgina.

Somersham Stakes—Lady Georgina.

Bretby H'cap—The Night Patrol.

Littleport Stakes—Mopeo.

Brinkley Welter—Makepeace.

Welter H'cap—Euphrosynus.

WORCESTER MEETING.

City Hurdle—Jolly Roger.

Engagements on 25th and 26th—Care Free and Ned Carver.

CHESTER MEETING.

Combermere H'cap—Bacton Lad.

Chester Vase—Margode.

RACQUETS.

ETON WIN SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIP.

Eton won the public schools championship for the ninth time at Queen's Club, West Kensington, on Saturday, beating Radley in the final by 4 games to 2. The Radley pair (G. Downay and A. E. Blair) played pluckily, but the Etonians (G. S. Ingledon Webber and O. C. Smith-Bingham) were the stronger combination, and wore their rivals down.

INTER-'VARSITY MATCH.

At Queen's Club on Saturday the Cambridge University pair, R. H. Hill (Winchester) and R. Aird (Eton) accomplished a surprise performance in beating the Oxonians, J. C. F. Simpson (Rugby) and J. F. Park (Radley) by 4 games to 3, after the first three games had gone against them.

HOCKEY.

RAILWAY UNION CLUB.

The match, Married v. Single, was played on Saturday at Park avenue. The game was keenly contested throughout, the single men winning by the odd goal in three. V. Sally and H. Sally scored for the Singles, and Varian for the Married. K. Browner, Chiddick, and Hennessy played well for the Singles, as did Sullivan, Gillespie, and Bollard for the Married men.

GOLF.

IRISH CLOSE AND PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The entries for these championships close on Friday next, the 28th inst. The draws will be made on the following day.

SENIOR CUP AND BARTON SHIELD.

The following is the draw for the Senior Cup at Portmarnock to-morrow (Wednesday), 26th inst.:—Byes—Hermitage v. Milltown; Portmarnock v. winner of match. Match—Royal Dublin v. Dublin University. This match will start at 11.30 on the arrival of the 10.45 train. Second round to start not later than 3.30. Final round to start on Thursday, 27th, at 11.30.

BARTON SHIELD.

Byes—Castle v. Milltown. Matches—Dublin University v. Foxrock; Portmarnock v. Royal Dublin. The matches start on Thursday at 3.30, and will be continued on Friday, 28th, at 11.30.

BOYS V. PROFESSIONALS.

PROFESSIONALS BEATEN.

Two boys, Geoffrey McCallum and William McCallum, whose reputation as golfers has extended beyond their own locality of Sonning-on-Tee, defeated Alex. Herd (Coombe Hill) and J. H. Taylor (Mid-Surrey) in two matches. In a four-ball match the McCallums, receiving four strokes, beat the professionals by two holes; and in a foursome, receiving six strokes, they won by 4 and 3.

LADIES v. MEN.

In a ten a-side match at Stoke Poges between men and women the former won by 10 matches to 4, winning the singles by 7 to 3 and the foursomes by 3 to 1. The feature of the play was the brilliance of Roger Wethered, who beat Miss Cecil Leitch by 2 holes, and Miss Joyce Wethered, who beat C. V. Hooman by 4 and 3. The ladies received nine strokes.

ABE MITCHELL IN FORM.

In an exhibition match at Coulson, Surrey, on Saturday, Abe Mitchell easily beat James Braid, Harry Vardon, and the local professional, H. Minch.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

SUTTON.—The friends of Mr. Edward Terrett, who has acted as steward to the club for some years, and who has retired to emigrate along with his family to Australia, took advantage of the occasion to make him a presentation in the shape of a substantial cheque. Mr. Terrett asked that his best thanks be conveyed to the members who subscribed, and said that all of them, during his term of office, had been sympathetic and friendly on every occasion.

BRAY.—Todd Cup, 22nd April.—F. A. Kennedy (10), 72; G. Kirkpatrick (10), 77; Rev. J. Kelly (10), 77; A. J. Lambkin (19), 78; A. N. Murphy (9), 78; Dr. Hanson (20), 79; J. F. Saul (8), 79; D. C. Machin (14), 80; P. Conway (13), 80; J. Blackwell (13), 80. Machin, Conway, and Blackwell play off for last place on to-morrow at 6 o'clock. Draw for play-off (match play)—Murphy v. Saul; Kennedy v. Rev. J. Kelly; Dr. Hanson v. winner of tie; Lambkin v. Kirkpatrick.

THE ISLAND.—Eclectic competition for prizes presented by the club:—Miss Barrington (12½), 33½; Mrs. King (5½), 36½; Mrs. McConnell (6½) and Miss A. Crosbie (10½), 37½. Monthly medal to-morrow, bogey.

FOXROCK.—The vice-captain's prize was played for on Saturday. Thirty entered, and the following were the best returns:—Captain A. Horne, 91, 15, 76; R. G. N. Henry, 80, 3, 77; J. L. Crabbe, 80, 2, 78; W. H. Cooper, 94, 16, 78; A. T. Marsh, 90, 11, 79; H. M. P. Hare, 91, 9, 82. Fixture—Saturday next, monthly handicap medal play (18 holes).

CHILDREN'S COMPETITION.—The result of the children's competitions held at Foxrock was as follows:—Bogey, qualifying round—J. Wisdom, 6 up, first; A. Owen and T. Staples, 5 up, second; N. Wilson, 3 up; S. Beckett, 2 up; E. Millar, 1 up; T. Crawley, all square; P. Millar, 2 down. These eight qualified to play for the scratch prize (heats and holes). The winner was T. Staples and the runner-up P. Millar. Consolation bogey prize (under handicap)—O. Murphy, 3 up; I. Millar, T. Crawley, N. Wilson, and J. Pringle tied, 1 up. The mixed foursomes, bogey (adult and child) resulted in a tie between Mrs. Owen and Arthur Owen and Mrs. Redington Rock and B. M'Kenna, 7 up; Mrs. Darley and F. Darley (junior) were second with 6 up.

THE PARI-MUTUEL INVENTOR.

DEATH OF M. JOSEPH OLLER.

M. Joseph Oller, who has died in Paris, aged 83, was the originator of the pari-mutuel. He was born in Spain, of French parentage, in 1839. In 1865 the idea came to him of establishing in the offices which he occupied as a commercial agent in Paris, an agency in which all the world could follow the races without the trouble of studying the vagaries of "form." The Oller Agency after a few years became one of the established institutions of Paris. M. Oller established itinerant offices, in the form of coaches, which attended all race meetings and accepted stakes from all the world, the minimum being 2 francs.

In 1875 the State interfered. M. Oller was fined as a common gambler, and the pari-mutuel came to an end. Twelve years later the State gave the pari-mutuel its official patronage, and from a martyr M. Oller became a saint. Incidentally, he became one of the very few inventors who gain any ultimate benefit from their ingenuity; his model factory at Puteaux, now managed by his nephew, M. Henri Oller, to-day provides all the tickets and other necessary material for the proper working of the officially recognised pari-mutuel.

M. Oller, says the Paris *New York Herald*, was also the founder of such well-known Parisian pleasure centres as the Moulin Rouge, Olympia, the Nouveau Cirque, and the Jardin de Paris, which last he managed until its recent closing down. He was largely instrumental in the creation of the racecourses at Maisons Laffitte and Saint-Germain, while his pari-mutuel system is now in operation at all the important racecourses in France, including those controlled by the Société d'Encouragement, the French Steeplechase Society, the Société de Sport de France, and the Société Sportive d'Encouragement.

YACHTING.

DUBLIN BAY SAILING CLUB.

A great many interesting details were discussed at the annual general meeting of the Dublin Bay S.C. on Saturday evening, and it may be remarked that before the proceedings closed a much more buoyant spirit was apparent than had been manifested before the meeting was held. The Commodore, Dr. W. M. A. Wright, was in the chair, and there was a large gathering of members. The Hon. Treasurer's account was considered most satisfactory. The re-election of the officers and Committee was the next business, the only change being the retirement (by rotation) of two members from the Committee and the re-election of two others to fill the vacancies. It was decided then to extend the official racing life of the No. 1 (25-footers), No. 2 (21-footers), and No. 3 (17-footers) classes for a further period of three years.

The business so far had been routine, and that which followed was controversial, so to speak, and, at any rate, created an animated discussion. On behalf of the Committee, it was proposed that, following the plan adopted last year, the rules be suspended to permit the merging of 25-footers, 21-footers, and small cruisers (4 to 12 tons) in one match in lieu of separate races for each class. There was a little difference of opinion in the matter, but in the end the proposal was carried unanimously. The details of the initial handicaps between the classes (and the merits of the sliding scale next cruisers) and the working of the Committee to came up, and was left over to the Committee to adjust. But the owners of the 21-footers' class carried their point: that this year's course for the combined classes would not be the long 25-footers' course, and it was also the idea of the meeting that the first mark on the course should be at a distance so as to allow the different yachts to separate well before reaching it. It was agreed then that last year's principle of the different classes preserving their individuality in the combined race as classes for marks, season's prizes, etc., should be followed.

An important matter then was taken up—viz.: the opening of the Class IV. to open, unballasted boats, not exceeding 17-foot over all, as well as to Wags. The proposal met with general approval, interested owners of Wags as well as crews of the latter class speaking in its favour, and finally the motion to extend the range of Class IV. boats was carried unanimously.

The fact that there would be a two days' Olympic regatta in August next was brought up by the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Graham. The proposal of the Seapoint Boat Club to hold a regatta on July 1st was also mentioned, as well as a report that Malahide regatta might be revived this season. The meeting shortly afterwards adjourned.

THE WATER WAG CLUB.

The annual general meeting will be held this (Tuesday) afternoon at 4.45 p.m., at the offices of the President, Mr. T. B. Middleton, 26 Eustace street, Dublin.

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIP.

The public schools athletic championship competed for at Stamford Bridge on Saturday was won for the first time by Eastbourne.

ROAD WALKING CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Road Walking Association's championship was decided over a twenty miles course in Richmond Park on Saturday. The weather was most unfavourable, but almost every walker of prominence started, and there were twelve team entries. At the end of four miles W. J. Jenkins led, and in the end there was a great race for individual honours between Hehir, last year's winner; Ross, who had won the race on six previous occasions, and Goodwin. They were together all the way, and it was only in the last mile Hehir was able to draw away to win. Ross, the veteran, was third, and the long-distance record holder, Horton, fourth. The Surrey W.C. won the team championship.

WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL MEETING.

At the Women's International Athletic Meeting at Monte Carlo on Friday, the London Polytechnic team won the relay race. Miss Wright was first in the hurdles, Miss Lines won the long jump, and Miss Leman won the Penthalon. The English team won more events than any other Nation, seven countries being represented at the meeting.

CYCLING.

IRISH ROAD CLUB HANDICAP.

The first handicap of the season under the auspices of the Southern Branch of the Irish Road Club was held on Saturday, the event, as usual, being a twenty-five miles open race. The course was an out-and-home one on the Navan road, and an entry of twelve riders was received for the event. Of these nine started, and all completed the course. The road was in poor condition, and a rather strong headwind militated against fast times.

The winner was W. J. Finn, who had also the distinction of making fastest time, and this despite the fact that his chain came off within a few miles of the finish, and he had to finish on another machine. The times were as follow:—

1, W. J. Finn (3 mins.), 1 hr. 14 mins. 58 secs.
2, D. Galavan (3 mins.), 1 hr. 16 mins. 27 secs.
3, D. Shortall (3 mins.), 1 hr. 16 mins. 44 secs.
4, J. Mecredy (3 mins.), 1 hr. 19 mins. 15 secs.
5, R. Galway (3 mins.), 1 hr. 19 mins. 49 secs.
6, F. Gillen (5 mins.), 1 hr. 23 mins. 34 secs.
7, F. Inglis (10 mins.), 1 hr. 24 mins. 55 secs.
8, T. Galavan (10 mins.), 1 hr. 27 mins.
9, T. Tyndall (5 mins.), 1 hr. 36 mins. 39 secs.

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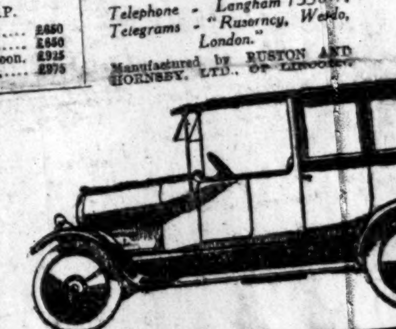

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RUGBY.

GOULDING CUP FINAL.

On Saturday at Park avenue I.R.C.H. and D.S.B.R. combined team defeated G.N.R. in the final of the Goulding Cup by a goal (5 points) to nil. There was no score in the first half, but soon after the restart O'Donel scored a try for the amalgamated side, and also converted. Result:—I.R.C.H. and D.S.B.R.—1 goal (5 points). G.N.R.—Nil.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

Munster Cup Final.—Cork Constitution 8, Garryowen 0.

Seven-a-side Competition (Final).—North of Ireland 11, Instonians 8.

Cross-Channel Rugby Union.—Bath 6, Bristol 3; Neath 9, Newport 8; East Midlands 13, London Scottish 6; Cross Keys 12, Gloster 3; Aberavon 17, Swansea 3; United Services 11, Welsh Barbarians 11.

Northern Union.—Widnes 4, Hull Kingston Rovers 0; Swinton 39, Bradford 11; Pontypool 3, Cardiff 3; Broughton Rangers 7, Barrow 6.

Northern Union Cup—Semi-finals.—Oldham 13, Huddersfield 3; Wigan 27, Hull 2.

FRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP.

BORDEAUX, Sunday.

In the final for the Championship of France, played here to-day, Toulouse beat Bayonne by 6 points to nil.

ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

IRISH SHIELD.

Bohemians	1	Jacobs	0
Shelbourne	3	St. James's Gate	1

LEINSTER LEAGUE.

St. James's Gate B.	1	Bray U.	1

IRISH GOLD CUP.

Linfield	2	Queen's Island	0
Glentoran	4	Distillery	1
Cliftonville	3	Glenavon	1

ENGLISH LEAGUE.—DIVISION I.—Everton 1, Sheffield U. 1; Cardiff City 2, Liverpool 0; Birmingham 1, Bradford City 0; The Arsenal 1, Tottenham H. 0.

ENGLISH LEAGUE.—DIVISION II.—Bradford 1, South Shields 0; Bristol City 1, Clapton 0; Coventry City 4, Notts County 2; Crystal Palace 3, Derby County 1; Fulham 2, West Ham United 0; Barnsley 3, Hull City 1; Leeds United 0, Wolverhampton W. 0; Nottingham For. 3, Stoke 1; Port Vale 1, Blackpool 0; Rotherham Co. 0, Leicester City 0; The Wednesday 4, Bury 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.—DIVISION I.—Albion Rovers 0, St. Mirren 0; Dumbarton 3, Hearts 2; Dundee 1, Clydebank 1; Third Lanark 1, Hamilton 0; Aberdeen 1, Hibernians 0; Falkirk 1, Motherwell 0; Partick Thistle 1, Ayr United 1; Clyde 3, Queen's Park 0; Raith Rovers 1, Morton 0; Rangers 3, Airdrie 0.

MOTOR LORRIES COLLIDE.

As a result of a collision between two motor lorries containing soldiers of the I.R.A., near the Gas Works, Great Brunswick street, Dublin, yesterday evening, Patrick Savage, of Great Clarence street, and Patrick Dempsey, of Moss street, sustained injuries which necessitated their removal to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital for treatment. The lorries were damaged considerably by the force of the collision.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

Result of Open Reliability Trial to Glendalough (Social run) on Easter Monday:—No. 1, Major Waters, 2¾ A.J.S., Miniature Silver Medal; 2, Mrs. Waters, 2¾ Velocette, Miniature Silver Medal; 3, Thomas Murphy, 2¾ Douglas, Miniature Silver Medal; 4, R. H. Hill, 2¾ Velocette, Miniature Bronze Medal; 5, G. V. B. Cooke, 3½ Sunbeam, Miniature Silver Medal; 6, F. Adair, 3½ Premier and s.c., nil; 7, R. McGuire, 2¾ Enfield and s.c., Miniature Bronze Medal; 8, N. A. W. Orr, 2¾ Royal Enfield, Miniature Silver Medal; 9, D. Orr, 2¾ Sun Vitesse, nil; 10, Leo Walsh, 3½ Connaught, non-starter; 11, H. G. Ellerker, 3½ Douglas, Miniature Silver Medal; 12, R. Falkiner, 2¾ New Imperial, Miniature Bronze Medal; 13, H. W. Nesbitt, 3½ Norton, Miniature Silver Medal; 14, G. W. Tracey, 8 Sparbrook, Miniature Bronze Medal; 15, Dene Allen, 4 Norton and s.c., Miniature Silver Medal; 16, A. Carton, 3½ Norton, Miniature Silver Medal; 17, E. A. Tracey, Indian Scout, Miniature Silver Medal; 18, H. McGarry, 8 Ariel and s.c., nil; 19, H. McAllister, 2¾ A.J.S., Miniature Silver Medal; 20, P. Grimes, 8 Ariel and s.c., Miniature Silver Medal; 21, W. H. Freeman, 7 A.J.S. and s.c., Miniature Silver Medal; 22, [illegible] Watson, 4 Triumph, Miniature Bronze Medal; 23, P. H. Hutse, 4½ Ariel, Miniature Silver Medal; 24, M. McSherry, 7/9 Matchless and s.c., nil; 25, A. E. Murray, 2¾ Levis, nil; 26, J. F. McMullan, 3½ Triumph and s.c., Miniature Silver Medal; 27, Andrew Breslan, 3 Triumph and s.c., Miniature Silver Medal; 28, M. A. Maher, 4 Douglas and s.c., Miniature Bronze Medal; 29, F. O'Connor, 3½ Douglas, Miniature Silver Medal; 30, A. G. Coard, 4 Indian, Miniature Silver Medal; 31, non-starter; 32, J. H. Patton, 2¾ James, Miniature Silver Medal; 33, R. Gill, 2¾ Radco, nil; 34, R. Humphreys, 3½ Norton, Miniature Bronze Medal; 35, J. Hanley, 2¾ Raleigh, [illegible].

The following did not finish in time to qualify for any awards:—E. Adair, 3½ Premier and s.c.; H. and M. McSherry, 7/9 Matchless and s.c.; H. McGarry, 8 Ariel s.c., lost six marks by being late at finish; A. E. Murray, 2¾ Levis, lost thirteen marks by being late at finish; J. F. McMullan, 2¾ Shamrock, lost four marks by being late at finish (and one mark at Hollywood Check); R. Gill, 2¾ Radco, two marks at Hollywood and three at finish.

Miniature Silver Medals for full marks. Miniature Bronze Medals for 98 per cent. marks.

ANGLING.

THE BOYNE.

The Slane waters of the Boyne have given fairly good fishing up to the present, and the very heavy flood of last week has left every pool in the lower waters the better by some freshly run fish. The total number of salmon killed about Slane since the season opened cannot be much short of 300, and the best fish was a 27 pounder, killed by Mr. McGuinness, Trim. Trout fishing on the Blackwater and other tributaries is much better, though the nightly frosts have a bad effect. Trim Anglers' Association is agitating for an inquiry into the present state of the fish passes, fish traps and weirs on the river, it being alleged that few salmon can get above Navan. Amongst recommended salmon flies for the Boyne are the following:—Fiery Brown, Durham Ranger, Grey Monkey, Bright Boyne Blue, Jock Scott, Lemon Bodied Grey, Claret, and Orange Grouse for the early part of the season and up to May.

DOCTOR'S CAR STOLEN.

Late on Sunday night or early yesterday morning the garage attached to the residence of Dr. J. B. Magennis, at the rear of 86 Harcourt street, Dublin, was entered by some persons, who stole a Morris Oxford coupé motor car, value about £700, the property of Dr. Magennis. The owner is at present in Vienna.

FINANCIAL N[illegible]

DUBLIN STOCK MARK[illegible]

BUSINESS DONE LAST WEEK.

The Dublin Exchange was closed yesterd[ay]. The following is a full record of the bu[siness] done on the Dublin Stock Exchange last we[ek in] each department, except Consols and War L[oan]. The day on which the business was done [is in]dicated by the initial letter in parenthesi[s]; dealings in odd lots are marked by an aste[risk].

Guaranteed Land Stock—62 (W.).
2¾ p.c. Land Act Stock—58½ (W.).
3 p.c. Land Act Stock—64¼ (W.).
Bank of Ireland—224-5 (W.), 228-30 (Th.), 2[illegible]
Hibernian Bank—5½ (Th.), 6 (F.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—6⅞ (W.), 6⅞ [illegible] (F.).
National Bank—17½ (W.), 17¼ (Th.), 17¼ [illegible]
Provincial Bank—19¼ (W.), 19¼ (Th.), *20 [illegible]
Royal Bank—10⅞ (W.).
Co. Down 3 p.c. Deb.—51 (F.).
Dublin and S.E. "B" Deb.—60a (F.).
Great Northern Ord.—57¼ (W.), 57¼ (Th.), 5[illegible]
Great Northern Pref.—61 (W.).
Great Northern Guar.—*64¼ (W.).
Great Southern Ord.—49-50-*50 (W.), 50 [illegible] 50¼ (F.).
Great Southern Pref.—60¼ (Th.).
Great Southern Guar.—*63¼ (Th.), 65 (F.).
Great Southern Deb.—75 (W.), 76 (Th.), 75[illegible]
Midland G.W. Ord.—29¼b (Th.), 30 (F.).
Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Pref.—46 (Th.).
Midland G.W. Rent Charge—54 (W.).
Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Deb.—65 (W.).
West Clare—75/-b (F.).

Anglo-Persian Oil Ord.—5⅛ (F.).
Apex Oilfields—39/6 (W.), 35/- (Th.).
Bradford Dyers—56/6 (W.), 55/- (Th.), 76/6-[illegible]
Bleachers—52/6 (Th.).
British-American Tobacco—77/- (Th.), 76/6-[illegible]
Burmah Oil Ord.—6 (F.).
Bolands—*47/9 (Th.), 50/-a (F.).
Castlebellingham Brewery Pref.—*90/- (F.).
Crowe, Wilson Pref.—18/3a (F.).
Calicos—18/7½ (Th.).
Coats—64/6 (W.), 64/1½-4/6 (Th.), 64/-3 8-[illegible]
Coats Pref.—11¼ (F.).
Coats "B" Pref.—25/4¼ (W.).
Courtaulds—45/- (W.), 45/- (Th.), 44/6 [illegible]
Dublin Trams—7¼ (W.), 7¼ (Th.).
Dublin Trams Pref.—9⅞ (F.).
Dublin Trams "B" Deb.—57 (Th.).
Dublin and Wicklow Manure Pref.—14/-[illegible]
Dunlops—8/7½, 8/6, 8/9, 8/10½, 8/9, 8/[illegible] (W.), 8/3, 8/1½, 8/- (Th.), 8/-, 7/10[illegible]
Dublin Artisans' Dwellings—5¼ (F.).
Fine Spinners—37/9 (W.), 38/- (Th.).
Findlater Debs.—42/6 (F.).
Guinness—41-1½ (W.), 42 (Th.), 42-1[illegible]
Guinness Pref.—11¼-¼ (W.), 11¼ (Th.), 1[illegible]
Grand Canal Ord.—50/-60a (F.).
Goulding Ord.—5 (Th.), *5 (F.).
Goulding Pref.—81/- (W.).
"Irish Times" 5½ p.c.—56/6 (W.), *60/- [illegible]
Imperial Tobacco—59/9 (W.), 59/7½-9[illegible] 59/6 (F.).
Jameson Debs.—*7 (W.), *6¼-[illegible]
Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—20/3-20/1¼ (W.), 20/[illegible] 20/3 (F.).
Lever 8 p.c. Pref.—*20/- (W), 20/1½ [illegible]
Lever Deb.—105½b (F.).
Marconis—45/-5/3 (W.), 45/9(Th.), 46/6[illegible]
Marconi of Canada—9/- (Th.), 9/9 (F.).
McBirney Ord.—16/- (F.).
Millar (A.) Pref.—11/- (W.), 11½ (Th.), 72[illegible]
Mexican Eagles—70/- (W.), 18/6 (F.).
Power Prefs.—18/4½ (W.), 18/5 (F.).
Parent Tyre Ord.—12/3 (W.), *24/- (Th.)
Parent Tyre Def.—*24/- (W.)
Provincial Tram Deb.—64 (Th.)
Pim Deb.—63b (F.).
Radio-Corp. Com.—17/6 (W.), 17/3 (Th.)
Radio-Corp. Pref.—15/3 (W.), 15/5 (Th.)
Sewing Cotton—42/6-2/7½-2/9 (W.), 42[illegible] 42/6 (F.).
Shells—5⅞-[illegible] (W.), 5[illegible] (Th.), 5[illegible]
Shell 7 p.c. Pref. (5/- pd.)—*8/9 (W.), 8/[illegible]
Todd Burns Pref.—69/5 (F.).
White, Tomkins, and Courage Or.—20/[illegible] b—Bid; a—Asked.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANG[ES]

MANCHESTER.—Textiles more irreg[ular] [illegible] only small. Bleachers, 32-2/3; [illegible] 23-23/9; Calicos, 18/3-18/9; do. Pref., [illegible] Bradford Dyers, 34/6-36/6; do. Pref., 18/9-9/5; Coutts 42/6-43/-; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; [illegible] 37/9-38/-; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; Velvets, 24/-5/-; 6/9; Coats, 63/6-64/-; Velvets, 24/-5/-.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alli[ance], [illegible]; Atlas (x.d.), 15¼; British General, [illegible]; Commercial Union, 30¼; [illegible] Accident, 6¼, [illegible]; London, £8 [illegible]; North British, [illegible]; Northern, 15¼, [illegible]; Royal, [illegible] 3d., 13, 12¼; Victory, 3[illegible]; World Auxiliary, 13/3, [illegible] 11/-, 6d.; [illegible].

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—[illegible] Assurance, 12¾; Atlas Assurance (x.d.), [illegible]; [Cale]donian Insurance, 45½; Employers' Liability, [illegible] 74/d.; General Accident, Fire and [illegible]; Guardian Assurance, 64; [illegible] Lancs. Insurance, 13½; London and Lancashire, [illegible] cent. Marine Deb. Stock, 93½; Northern [illegible] 300/- 9d., 2/6; Phoenix, Norwich [illegible]; Royal Insurance Co., 32¼, [illegible]; Scottish [illegible] Sea Insurance, 71.

DUBLIN WEEKLY T[RADE] REPORT.

General conditions of the industrial [illegible] favour of an unstable and unprogres[sive] [illegible]. With labour difficulties cross Channel, [manu]facturing output is dwindling down, and the political position here is causing much [illegible] in trade connections.

EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs. A. Guinness, Son and Co.'s shipments from Dublin, as returned by the Customs da[ily] lists for the past week were:—

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.
	2,098	13,738	352	144

Corresponding week's shipments for pre[vious] years:—

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.
1921 ...	1,791	19,913	361	443
1920 ...	3,090	11,496	568	296
1919 ...	822	3,306	131	156

The above week's exports are equal to 18,21[illegible] 1922, as against 23,889 hhds. for 1921, 1[illegible] for 1920, and 5,512 hhds. for 1919.

Messrs. A. Guinness and Co.'s exports of [porter from] Dublin from 1st January, 1922, to date totall[ed] [illegible] hhds., as against 258,689 hhds. for co[rresponding] period of 1921.

The following quantities of porter were a[s returned] from Dublin by the various firms named, as r[eturned by] the Customs daily shipping lists, for the w[eek ended] April 22nd, 1922:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Q[rs.]
Watkins, Jameson & Co.	—	41	107	209	2[illegible]
Mountjoy Brewery Co.	—	17	1	—	—
D'Arcy & Son	—	97	161	15	[illegible]
Total	—	165	269	224	2[illegible]

Corresponding week's shipments for pre[vious] years:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Q[rs.]
1921 ...	—	61	153	258	1[illegible]
1920 ...	—	189	81	265	3[illegible]
1919 ...	—	22	26	107	2[illegible]

EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dub[lin as re]turned by the Customs daily shipping lists a[nd other]wise advised, for the w[eek ended] April 22nd, 1922, were as follow:—

Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr. Cks.	O[ct.]
—	18	74	23	14	

Corresponding week's shipments for prev[ious] years:—

	Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr. Cks.	O[ct.]
1921 ...	—	2	24	29	15	
1920 ...	42	10	96	68	58	
1919 ...	—	3	13	15	3	

There were also shipped cross-Channel last w[eek] 4,592 gallons of whiskey in bottles, jars, &c.

EXPORTS OF LIVE STOCK.

The shipments of live stock from Dublin, a[s] returned for periods specified hereunder, were:—

	Weekending April 15, 1922.	Weekending April 16, 1921.
Cattle, Oxen, &c.	2,748	1,587
Sheep	4,927	827
Swine	220	37
Horses	21	177
Total	7,916	2,628

The total shipments from all other ports of [illegible] in Ireland for the week ending April 15th were:—

	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.	Ass[es]
	5,900	2,067	411	254	1[illegible]
Same week of 1921	1,609	151	92	50	
Same week of 1920	7,347	63	534	256	

Total exports, including those from D[ublin] above week, being 16,5[illegible] animals for 192[2], 4,530 animals for 1921 and 11,290 an[imals for] 1920.

FOREIGN IMPORTS.

Direct foreign arrivals at the Port [of Dublin] last week embraced:—

From Rotterdam—10 bales unglazed [illegible] fur rugs, etc.

From St. John's (N.B.)—quantity of [illegible] bulk, ditto corn in bulk, 6,75[illegible] pcs. [illegible] 30 rolls paper, 400 bundles [illegible] bales wrapping paper, 48 cs. [illegible] meal, 1,000 sacks rolled oats, 9,999 sac[ks] flour, 10 cs. canvas [illegible] sacks wheat.

From Seattle—66,22[illegible] sacks wheat.

From New Orleans—4,000 [illegible], 16 hhds. [illegible] barrels rosin, 1,000 [illegible] sacks cotton[seed] [illegible], 200 drums turpentine, [illegible] pcs. pine deals [illegible], 1,000 sacks ditto, 2,45[illegible] pcs. [illegible], 120 barrels glucose, 3,5[illegible] cases oranges.

From Valencia—4,562 cases oranges.

From cross-Channel ports 18,715 ton[s] arrived in 46 colliers.

Fire, which started in the ballroom [on the] twelfth floor of the new Willard Hot[el, Wash]ington, in the early hours of Sunday, [drove] the guests out of the building. Am[ong them] was the Vice-President, Mr. Coolidg[e], Senators and Congressmen, and othe[rs]. The damage to the hotel [was con]fined to the three top floors. No[body was] hurt.

RIOTS AND CIVIL COMMOT[ION]

These risks are underwritten by THE BRISTOL AUTO AND GEN[ERAL] INSURANCE CO., LTD., at the following rates:

3 Months at 30/- p.c. 6 Months at [illegible] 12 Months at 75/- p.c.

The public should send remittance to the [illegible] full name and address of property to be [illegible] to the Head Office, 97 and 97A Shoe Lane, LONDON or Branches.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

DUBLIN STOCK MARKET

BUSINESS DONE LAST WEEK.

The Dublin Exchange was closed yesterday.

The following is a full record of the business done on the Dublin Stock Exchange last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parenthesis, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:

Guaranteed Land Stock—62 (W.).
2¾ p.c. Land Act Stock—58½ (W.).
3 p.c. Land Act Stock—64¼ (W.).
Bank of Ireland—224-5 (W.), 228-30 (Th.), 235 (F.)
Hibernian Bank—*5½ (Th.), 6 (F.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—6⅞ (W.), 6⅞ (Th.), 6⅞ (F.).
National Bank—17¼ (W.), 17¼ (Th.), 17¼ (F.).
Provincial Bank—19½ (W.), 19½ (Th.), *20 (F.).
Royal Bank—10⅞ (W.).
Co. Down 3 p.c. Deb.—51 (F.).
Dublin and S.E. "B" Deb.—60a (F.).
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Great Northern Pref.—61 (W.).
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Great Southern Deb.—75 (W.), 75 (Th.), 75½ (F.).
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Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Pref.—46 (Th.).
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Crowe, Wilson Pref.—18/3a (F.).
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Coats Pref.—11½ (F.).
Coats "B" Pref.—25/4½ (W.).
Courtaulds—45/- (W.), 45/- (Th.), 44/6 (F.).
Dublin Trams—7½ (W.), 7½ (Th.).
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Dublin Trams "B" Deb.—67½ (Th.).
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Dublin Artisans' Dwellings—6⅛ (F.).
Fine Spinners—37/9 (W.), 38/- (Th.).
Findlater Deb.—42/6 (F.).
Guinness—41-1½ (W.), 42 (Th.), 42-1⅞-½ (F.).
Guinness Pref.—11¼-½ (W.), 11¼ (Th.), 11¼-½ (F.).
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Goulding Pref.—81/- (W.).
"Irish Times" 5½ p.c.—66/6 (W.), *60/- (Th.).
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Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—20/3-20/1½ (W.), 20/1½ (Th.), 20/3 (F.).
Lever 8 p.c. Pref.—*20/- (W.), 20/1½ (F.).
Lever Deb.—105½b (F.).
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Marconi of Canada—9/- (Th.), 9/9 (F.).
McBirney Ord.—16/- (F.).
Millar (A.) Pref.—11/- (Th.).
Mexican Eagles—70/- (W.), 71/4 (Th.), 72/-1/3 (F.)
Power Prefs.—18/4½ (W.), 18/- (F.).
Parent Tyre Ord.—12/3 (W.).
Parent Tyre Def.—*24/- (W.), *24/- (Th.).
Provincial Tram Deb.—6½ (Th.).
Pim Deb.—63b (F.).
Radio-Corp. Com.—17/6 (W.), 17/3 (Th.).
Radio-Corp. Pref.—15/3 (W.), 15/3 (Th.).
Sewing Cotton—42/6-2/7½-2/9 (W.), 42/6 (Th.), 42/6 (F.).
Shells—5⅛-½-¼ (W.), 5¼-½-¼ (Th.), 5⅛ (F.).
Shell 7 p.c. Pref. (5/- pd.)—*8/9 (W.), 8/10 (F.).
Todd Burns Pref.—69/6 (F.).
White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord.—20/- (F.).

b—Bid; a—Asked.

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MANCHESTER.—Textiles more irregular, but issues only small. Bleachers, 32/-2/3; do. Pref., 23/-23/9; Calicos, 18/3-18/9; do. Pref., 15/9-16/-; Bradford Dyers, 34/6-36/6; do. Pref., 18/9-19/3; Cottons, 42/6-43/-; do. Pref., 18/9-9/3; Spinners, 37/9-38/-; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; "Jubbers," 5/6-5/9; Coats, 63/6-64/-; Velvets, 24/3.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 12¼; Atlas (x.d.), 15¼; British General, 21/-, 1/4½, 0/9; Commercial Union, 30¼; General Accident, 6¼, ¼, ⅜; Guardian, 6⅞, 6 12/-; London, £8 6/-, 8¼; North British, 11⅛; Northern, 15¼, ⅛, 14⅞, 15¼; Prudential, 7, 3d., 13/-, 12/4½, 12/-; Royal Exchange, 5, 370; Victory, 3/-, 1½d.; Western Alliance, 1/4¼, 11/-, 6d.; World Auxiliary, 13/3, 13/-, 14/-.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance Assurance, 12⅛; Atlas Assurance (x.d.), 15; Caledonian Insurance, 43½; Employers' Liability, 79/6, 8d., 7½d.; General Accident, Fire and Life, 6¼, ¾, ⅞; Guardian Assurance, 6⅛; London and Lancs. Insurance, 13½; London and Lancs. 5 per cent. Marine Deb. Stock, 88½; Northern Assurance, 300/-, 9d., 2/6; Phoenix, Norwich Union, 11⅛; Royal Insurance Co., 22¼, 1¼; Scottish Union, 7⅛; Sea Insurance, 71.

DUBLIN WEEKLY TRADE REPORT.

General conditions of the industrial situation savour of an unstable and unprogressive state. With labour difficulties cross Channel, the manufacturing output is dwindling down, and the peculiar political position here is causing much dislocation in trade connections.

EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs. A. Guinness, Son and Co.'s shipments of porter from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists for the past week were:—

Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.
2,098	13,738	352	144	21

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.
1921 ...	1,791	19,913	361	443	93
1920 ...	3,090	11,436	568	296	26
1919 ...	522	3,306	131	156	27

The above week's exports are equal to 18,220 hhds for 1922, as against 23,869 hhds. for 1921, 18,098 hhds. for 1920, and 5,512 hhds. for 1919.

Messrs. A. Guinness and Co.'s exports of porter from Dublin from 1st January, 1922, to date totalled 165,938 hhds., as against 258,689 hhds. for corresponding period of 1921.

The following quantities of porter were also shipped from Dublin by the various firms named, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists, for the week ending April 22nd, 1922:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds
Watkins, Jameson & Co	—	41	107	209	20	185
Mountjoy Brewery Co.	—	17	1	—	—	17
D'Arcy & Son	—	97	161	15	—	121
Total	—	165	269	224	20	323

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
1921 ...	—	61	153	258	19	252
1920 ...	—	189	81	265	39	338
1919 ...	—	22	26	107	24	86

EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists and bills of entry, and otherwise advised, for the week ending April 22nd, 1922, were as follow:—

Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr. Cks.	Octs.	Kegs.
—	18	74	23	14	12	—

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr. Cks.	Octs.	Kegs.
1921 ...	—	2	24	29	15	3	—
1920 ...	42	10	96	68	58	1	3
1919 ...	—	3	13	15	3	—	—

There were also shipped cross-Channel last week about 1,592 gallons of whiskey in bottles, jars, &c.

EXPORTS OF LIVE STOCK.

The shipments of live stock from Dublin, as officially returned for periods specified hereunder, were:—

	Weekending April 15, 1922.	Weekending April 16, 1921.	Week ending April 17, 1920.
Cattle, Oxen, &c.	2,748	1,587	2,518
Sheep	4,927	827	126
Swine	220	37	392
Horses	21	177	86
Total ...	7,916	2,628	3,062

The total shipments from all other ports of embarkation in Ireland for the week ending April 15th, 1922, were:—

	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.	Asses.	Goats.
	5,900	2,067	411	254	16	—
Same week for 1921 ...	1,609	151	92	50	—	—
Same week for 1920 ...	7,347	63	534	256	22	5

Total exports, including those from Dublin, for above week, being 16,566 animals for 1922, against 5,550 animals for 1921 and 11,290 animals for 1920.

FOREIGN IMPORTS.

Direct foreign arrivals at the Port of Dublin last week embraced:—

From Rotterdam—10 bales unglazed paper, 563 ... rugs, etc.

From St. John's (N.B.)—quantity of wheat in bulk, ditto corn in bulk, 6,758 pcs. spruce deals, 15 rolls paper, 400 bundles wood pulp boards, 5 bales wrapping paper, 48 cs. metals, 500 sacks oatmeal, 1,000 sacks rolled oats, 6,999 sacks wheat flour, 10 cs. canvas shoes, 14 cs. steel wire.

From Seattle—56,224 sacks wheat.

From New Orleans—4,000 tons phosphate, 700 barrels rosin, 1,000 cs. rice, 16 hhds. tobacco, 50 drums turpentine, 4,240 sacks cottonseed meal, 1,500 sacks ditto, 2,454 pcs. pine deals and lumber, 300 barrels glucose, 3,643 sacks wheat flour.

From Valencia—4,362 cases oranges.

From cross-Channel ports 18,713 tons of coal arrived in 46 colliers.

Fire, which started in the ballroom on the twelfth floor of the new Willard Hotel, Washington, in the early hours of Sunday, drove all the guests out of the building. Among them was the Vice-President, Mr. Coolidge, many Senators and Congressmen, and other notable personages. The damage to the hotel was confined to the three top floors. Nobody was hurt.

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ACTIVE STOCKS.

FRENCH RAILWAY LOANS IMPROVE.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT AND THE "FINANCIAL NEWS" OF TO-DAY.)

The Stock Exchange had another very busy session yesterday. There was quite a rush during the first hour for all high-class investments, the appetite for which seems to be insatiable. In the gilt-edged market the strength of Conversion Loan and Treasury "A" and "B," and a sharp recovery in all the Indian Government Stocks, were outstanding features. Home Rails preserved a firm tone. A strong tone prevailed generally in the foreign market, Chinese stocks provided one of few exceptions, being dull on the revolution news. Brazilian securities were firm. Another feature of interest was the general improvement shown by the French Railway Loans of recent issue.

LONDON STOCKS UNCERTAIN.

SPECULATIVE DESCRIPTIONS ACTIVE.

The Stock markets opened the week in a somewhat undecided manner. There was a certain degree of activity among the more speculative descriptions, but the influence of the Genoa Conference difficulties and the Budget prospects affected business generally. The Gilt-edged market showed a tendency to firmness. The Conversion Loan was exceptionally strong, rising 1½ to 77¼. Consols and the 5 per cent. War Loan closed unchanged, but the 4½ per cent. War Loan rose 1 to 96½, and the 4 per cent. ¼ to 101¼. The Funding Loan rose ¼ to 88, and Victory Bonds ¼ to 89¼. India Loans were strong, the 3 per cent. at 55¼ and the 3½ per cent. at 65¼ were both a point higher. The 5½ per cent. and the 7 per cent. were both 1½ better. Local Loans rose ¼ to 66.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were fairly good. Brazilians were firm; the 4 per cent. at 54 and the Funding (1914) at 79 were both 1 up. Chinese Bonds were flat, and fell a point generally. Japanese 4½ per cent. at 104 rose 1, and the 4 per cent. at 89½ rose ¼. Peruvians were good. The Ord. rose ¼ and the Pref. ¼. San Paulo rose 1 to 107.

HOME RAILS were not very active, but prices were maintained. Metropolitan Pref. rose 1 to 94½, and Underground Debs. 1 to 100. South-Eastern Pref. also rose 1 to 94. London North-Western and Great Western both gained ½.

"Canpacs" rose 1 to 164 in COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILWAYS, but Argentines were dull. Pacifics lost 1 to 48, and Central ½ to 62. Argentine Great Western Ord. gained 1 at 57. Mexican National 1st Pref. at 16 was 2 higher, and the 2nd Pref. at 7½ gained 1.

DULL MINES.

IRREGULAR TENDENCY.

Business throughout the "House" was fairly brisk, but political and industrial uncertainties prevented any great expansion of general activity. The Mining market could boast one or two bright spots, and the tone was firm as a rule, but Kaffirs failed to provide any features. This section was still waiting for news as to the disposal of ex-enemy shares, and, although in usually well-informed quarters it is expected that the whole matter will be arranged within a week, there was little disposition to buy shares, in anticipation of the removal of this bugbear. The Cape remained indifferent, and Paris was doing little in view of the approach of the end of the month settlement. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

An-Am. Corp	1-1⅛	Modderf'n (10/)	3⅞-4⅛
An-French	1-1⅛	Modder B (5/)	1⅛-1¼
Brakpan	2⅜-2½	Modder D'p (5/)	2⅜-2½
Cent. Mining (£8)	7-7⅛	Modder East	8/3-9/3—0/3
City Deep	2¼-2⅜	N. State Ar.	[illegible]
Cons G'fields	[illegible]	Nourse Mines	11/3-11/9—0/3
Con. Langlaagte	[illegible]	Rand Mines (5/)	2⅜-2½
Cons M. Reef	10/3-10/9—0/3	Randfontein	16/0-16/6
Con. Selec. (10/)	12/0-13/0	do. Central	10/9-11/3—0/3
Crown M's (10/)	[illegible]	Robs'n Dp A (1)	[illegible]
E. Rand Mining	[illegible]	do. Pref.	21/3-22/3
E. R. Prop.	6/1½-6/4½+1½	Rose Deep	11/9-12/0—0/3
Geduld	[illegible]	S. A. Gold T'st	12/3-13/3—/4½
Gen. Mining	3/9-4/0—/1½	Springs Mines	1⅞-2
Governm't A's	4⅛-4¼	Trans & D.B.	[illegible]
Johannesb'g In.	24-5/0	Tr'sCon L (18/)	16/9-17/9—0/3
Kleinfontein	5/9-6/3—0/3	Union C'p (12/6)	18/0-18/6—0/3
Knight Cent	[illegible]	Van Ryn Deep	3⅝-3¾
Knights	[illegible]	Vereeniging	18/6-17/6
Langlaagte Es.	11/9-12/9	Village Deep	[illegible]
Meyer & Charlton	3¼-½	Witw'ters'd D'p	5/9-6/3

RHODESIAN.

Bech. Ex.	5/6-6/0—0/3	B. B'ken Hill (5/)	6/9-7/3+0/3
Cam & Motor	9/3-9/9+0/3	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1¼
Char B.S.A.	1/3-13/6	Tanganyika	1⅛-1¼
Falcon	[illegible]	Vic. Falls Or.	10/9-11/9+1/3
Gaika Gold	11/0-11/6	do. Pref.	[illegible]
Globe & P'x (5/)	11/6-12/6+0/6	Wankie Coll (10/)	11/6-12/6
G. F'de Rhod.	[illegible]	Zambesia Ex.	12/0-12/6—0/3
Lonely Reef	2⅛-2¼	Zam. Min. D.	10/0-10/6
Rezende	2⅛-2¼		

DIAMOND.

De Beers (£2½)	10⅛-⅜	N. Val River	5¼-6
do. Pref.	10⅛-⅜	do. Pref. (5/)	[illegible]
Jagersfontein	2¼-2½	Premier D. (2/6)	6-⅛

TIN.

Anglo-Con.	12/0-13/0—0/3	Nigerian (5/)	1/0-2/0
Aramayo Fran.	2⅛-¼	Pahang (5/)	5/6-6/6
East Pool (5/)	2/3-3/3	Rambutan	1⅛-1¼
Gopeng	1⅞-2	Renong	1⅜-1½
Kinta	1⅜-1½	Ropp (5/)	3/9-6/3—0/3
Kramat Pulai	1-1⅛	Siamese	2⅛-¼
Malayan T. W.	1-1⅛	Tronoh	1⅛-1¼
Naraguta	[illegible]		

WEST AFRICAN.

Ashanti G. (4/)	13/0-14/3	Obuassi	8/3-9/3
Fanti (8/)	8/6-9/6	Taquah Explor.	8/-9/0
Gold Coast Am.	[illegible]		

AUSTRALIAN.

Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1¼	Gt. Boulder (2/)	5/0-5/6
Brit. Broken Hill	1½-¾	Kalgurli	18/3-19/3
Broken Hill Prop	1⅝-¾	Nth Broken Hill	1½-⅞
B. Hill Sth. (New)	1⅞-2+⅛	Sulphide Ord.	9/3-10/3—0/3
B. Hill Block 10	[illegible]	Zinc Ord. (10/)	9/6-10/6
Golden Horseshoe	[illegible]	do. Pref.	1⅛-1⅜

COPPER.

Arizona (5/)	1⅛-1¼	Mount Lyell	[illegible]
Mt. Elliott (£5)	1⅝-¾	Namaqua	1⅜-1½
Mt. Morgan	⅝-¾	Rio Tinto (£5)	26⅝-7⅛

RUSSIAN.

Rus-Asia. Con	10/6-11/0+0/6	Siberian Props	⅜-½
Russian Min	5/6-6/0+0/3	Spassky	[illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS.

Brit. Platinum	10/0-11/0	Min Cor. of Can.	4/3-4/9—0/3
Burma Cor	6/0-6/6	Mysore (10/)	11/6-12/6
Camp Bird Ord	3/9-4/3+0/6	N. Min. (10/p)	2/6-3/0+0/3
Chemical & Met	5/3-6/3	New Chuquit	35/0-36/0+0/3
Colom. Min	14/3-15/3	Ooregum	15/0-16/0+0/6
Esperanza	16/0-17/0+0/6	Oroville	1⅛-1⅜
Kirkland Lake	15/3-16/3+1/6	S. John Del Rey	18/0-19/0
Mexico Mines	3¾-4	Santa Gertrudis	8/6-9/0+0/9
Minerals Separ	5⅛-5½	Waihi Gold	1-⅛

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BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—21/-. **Brakpan**—48/9, 7/6. **British South Africa**—13/2¼, 7½d., *1½d., 13/-, 3d. **Broken Hill Prop.**—26/6, 10½d., 3d., 6/-, 6d. **Burma Corp.**—6/1½, 4½d., 3d., 4½d. **Central Mining**—£7 2/9, 7½, 6½, 7½. **City Deep**—43/9, 5/-, 4/4½. **Colombian Mining**—14/10½, 6d., 9d., 6d. **Consol. Main Reef**—10/9, 10½d., 6d., 10½d. **Consol. Gold Fields**—14/4½. **Consol. Mines Selection**—12/3, 1½d., 5½d., 3d. **Crown Mines**—35/7½, 6/10½, 5/7½. **East Rand Prop.**—6/3, 1½d., 5/7½, 6/6, 4½d. **Esperanza**—16/3, 1½d. **Fanti Consols**—8/10½. **Geduld**—56/3, 5/7½, 4/4½, *3/9, 6/6. **Government Areas**—83/9, 1½d. **Johannesburg Invest.**—25/-, 4/6, *3/-, 5/-. **Langlaagte**—11/9, 6d. **Minerals Separation**—5¼. **Modderfontein B (5/- shares)**—30/3½, 29/4½, 30/7½, 29/0½, 10½d. **Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)**—44/4½, 3/9, 1½d., 4/0½. **Modderfontein East**—9/-, 8/7½. **New Modderfontein**—73/9, 5/6, 7½d. **New State Areas**—29/1½, 30/-, 29/7½, 30/-. **Nourse**—*9/-, 11/5½, 6d. **Ooregum**—15/1½. **Rand Mines**—45/-, 4/4½. **Randfontein Estates**—16/-, 3d., 15/9. **Randfontein Central**—11/3, 4½d., 11/-. **Rose Deep**—11/7½. **Russo-Asiatic**—10/6, 4½d., 10½d., 1½d., 11/-. **Springs**—39/9½, 8/9, 40/-, 39/4½. **South West Africa**—16/1½, *15/3. **Tanganyika**—21/9. **Union Corporation**—18/10½, 9d., 3d., 17/10½, 18/6, 1½d. **Van Ryn Deep**—65/7½, 5/6. **Village Deep**—10/4½, *9/6, 10/-, 3d., 9/10½. **Zinc Corp.**—9/9, 10/-.

(*Exceptional amount at special price.)

TRAFFICS.

Great Southern of Spain Railway—week to April 15, pesetas 88,421; increase pesetas 43,932. Zafra and Huelva Railway—March, £11,228; decrease £4,009. Barsi Light Railway—week to March 31, Rs.62,900; increase Rs.35,000. London, Brighton and South Coast Railway—week to April 22, £124,680.

LLOYD'S INSURANCE BROKERS OPEN OFFICE IN DUBLIN.

Messrs. Lionel Sage and Co., Ltd., Lloyd's Insurance Brokers, of London, have opened an Office at 14 Fleet street, Dublin.

It is believed this is the first Lloyd's Broker to open an Office in this City, and the establishment of this Company should be a great convenience to those wishing to send business direct to Lloyd's, which is the best and largest market in the world for insurance business of every description. Lloyd's has been established over 200 years, and the arrangements at present existing are such that a policy subscribed to by Lloyd's Underwriters is the finest security possible to obtain.

Mr. William Sinclair, who has been connected with insurance in Dublin for a number of years, is managing the Dublin Office.

The enterprise shown by Messrs. Lionel Sage and Co., Ltd., is to be admired, and Mr. Sinclair's many friends will wish him every success and support him in his new venture.—(Advt.)

The death was announced at The Hague on Saturday of the Dowager Grand Duchess Marie of Mecklenburg Schwerin. The Grand Duchess, who died at the Royal Palace, was aged 72. She was the mother of Prince Henry, Queen Wilhelmina's Consort.

STEADY INDUSTRIALS.

MOST DEPARTMENTS MAKE A FIRM SHOW.

Steadiness characterised the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets yesterday. The amount of business passing was rather smaller than on recent days. Shipping issues continued firm, with Royal Mail registering a sharp advance. Cellulose issues weakened on the report published over the week-end, and other textiles revealed little of interest. Firmness ruled in the Stores department, and Caterers maintained a firm appearance, while Breweries continued their advance. Nitrates were irregular. Among Wireless descriptions, all the Marconi issues displayed strength. In the miscellaneous trading section, Cements further improved, and Motors kept up. Tobaccos were featureless. Brazilian Tractions and the Pref. showed renewed strength in the Canadian-American group. Recent issues were strong, the Shipping Debs. and International Sleeping Car Bonds registering sharp advances. British Cellulose closed 6d. lower at 3s., while the Pref. finished 1s. 6d. lower at 5s. Elsewhere among Textiles Joshua Hoyles fell ¼ to 1½, and Bradford Dyers eased to 35s. 6d. In the Insurance list, General Accidents gained ¼ to 6¼, and Prudential "B" further improved to 12s. 3d. Royal Exchange, however, fell 10 points to 400.

BREWERIES FIRM.

Firmness was exhibited by the Brewery group, and further advances have to be recorded. Bieckerts were marked up 4½ points to 107½. Watney Combe Pref. and Deb. both rose a point to 50½ and 64½, respectively; while Allsopp Prefs. also rose that much to 60½. Rises of ¼ were registered by Barclay Perkins 10 per cent. Pref. at 4½, and Benskins 5 per cent. Pref. at 2¼. Allsopps stiffened to 10s., and Walker Cains to 16s. Dunlops eased to 8s. 1½d., though the Debs. rose to 104½. Further advances occurred in Marconi issues in the Wireless group. The Ordinary rose ⅛ to 3½, the Prefs. ⅛ to 2¼, Marines ⅛ to 1½, and Canadians 3d. to 11s. In the Cable group, Anglo "B" fell a point to 102 ex div., though the "A" Shares put on ½ to 22¼, and Globes and Westerns both strengthened to 19⅛.

BUSY OILS.

LEADING ISSUES EASIER ON CONTINENTAL SALES.

Several strong and active features were provided yesterday among the lower-priced and speculative descriptions generally in the Oil Share market. On the other hand, the recognised leaders, with the exception of Mexican Eagles, became dull, Continental selling being mainly responsible for declines in Shells and Royal Dutch. Among the more speculative favourites, British Controlled, following the sharp rise which occurred on Friday last as the result of the announcement that the company has made arrangements for the development of a large area of the Buchivacoa Oilfields by the Standard Oil Company, made a strong start, and, in response to active bidding, advanced to 12s. 6d. There was a very large turnover in both the Common and Pref. Shares. Another outstanding feature was provided by Uroz Oilfields, which changed hands in large numbers, it being suggested that the buying was for the purpose of securing control, while it was also rumoured that important developments were pending in connection with the company's Trinidad property. Closing prices:—

Anglo-Amer.	4⅛-4⅜+⅛	Mex. Eagle	3⅝-3¾+⅛
Anglo-Burma	1/3-1/9	Do. Pref.	3⅛-3⅜
Anglo-Egyp. B.	1⅛-¼	Nth. Caucas (10/)	[illegible]
Anglo-Maikop	4/6-5/6	Oilfields Egypt	[illegible]
An. Per. 8%	23/6-26/0	Oilfields Fin. (4/0)	[illegible]
do. 1st Pf.	[illegible]	Oil Trust (2/-)	[illegible]
do. 9% 2nd Pf	26/-/27/11—/1½	Pet. Opts.	1/7-1/9
do. Ord. iss. 3%	[illegible]	Peru Sweed	7/9-8/3+0/6
do. 5% Deb.	91-92	Phoenix	28/6-29/0
Apex Trin.	[illegible]	Prem. Oil	2/7½-3/1½
Belv. Bor. Pf. (10/)	[illegible]	Rum Con.	15/0-15/6—/1½
Brit. Burmah (8/)	[illegible]	Royal Dutch	41¼-42¼—/¾
Brit. Mer. Spir.	5/6-6/6+0/9	Scot-Amer.	2/9-3/3+/1½
Burmah	5⅜-5½	Shell Trans.	5⅛-¼—⅛
do. 8% Pf.	23/9-24/3	5% Pref. (£10)	8/9-9/6
Caltex	2/6-3/0	7% Pf.	3/6-3/9pm—/1½
Dacia Romano	[illegible]	Spies (10/)	5/9-6/3+0/3
Eagle Trans	3⅛-3½	Tank. Pf.	8/0-8/6+0/3
Gemsah Oil	[illegible]	Transvaal	[illegible]
Gen. Pet. Tri.	7/0-7/6	Trin. Cent.	2⅛-2¼—⅛
Hamiltons Oil	2/0-2/3—0/2	Trin. Lease	1⅛-1¼—⅛
Havana Oil	2/0-2/2—0/2	Un. Brit. Trin.	[illegible]
Indo Burma	8/9-9/3—0/3	Ural Casp.	1⅛-¼+⅛
Kern R. (10/)	23/6-24/0—0/3	Uroz Oil (2/)	12/7½-12/7½+2/4½
Lobitos	5-5¼		

RUBBER SHARES ACTIVE.

The Rubber share market was quite active yesterday, and there were many changes. Batu Tiga rose 4s. to 32s. 6d., Langkat Sumatra at 15s. 7½d. were 1s. 10½d. better; Labu rose 1s. 3d. to 28s. 3d., Rubber Estates of Johore rose 1s. to 21s. 3d., Telogoredjo rose 1s. 3d. to 31s. 3d., and Un Sua Betong at 52s. 6d. also rose 1s. 3d. Sapumalkande fell 1s. 3d. to 19s. 3d. Closing prices:—

Anglo-Dutch	29/9	Moopiy Valley	12/6
Anglo-Java	2/3+0/1½	Nordanal	12/4½
Anglo-Malay	20/6	N. Hummock	13/6—0/3
Anglo-Sum.	34/4½	P.P.K. (C'yl'n)	12/6
Asahan	3/3	Pahang Para.	2/9¼+0/2¼
Bah Lias	21/3	Pataling	22/6+0/9
Batu Caves	10/7½	Pegoh	30/0
Batu Tiga	32/6+4/0	Plimoor	17/9
Bertam Consl.	4/1½	Port Dickson	11/9¼+/0¾
B.N.B.R. Trst	1/9	Rub. E. Johore	21/3+1/0
Bikam	1/10½	Rub. Ex. Kelan	1/8+/0¾
Brieh	1/7½	Rub. Trust	16/7½+0/4½
Bukit Cloh	3/6+0/6	Sablas	20/9
Bukit Mert.	2/7	Sapong	13/3¾
Bukit Rajah	18/3	Sapumalk'de	19/3—1/3
Bukit Semb.	1/5	Seafield	13/6
Castlefield	4/2—0/1½	Sedenak	10/7½
Chersonese	3/1—0/1½	Selaba	13/7½
Cheviot	2/1½	Selangor	6/2¼—0/1½
Cicely	4/4½	Sempah	26/3
Con. Malay	4/3+/0¾	Sendayan	20/3
Danansara	14/6¾	Senuah	10/3
Eastern Trust	10/0	Seramban	9/6
Gen. Ceylon	23/1½	Serdang Cent'l	18/0
Glenbervie	19/9	Sialang	19/9
Golden Hope	18/9	Sing. United	0/7¾
Grand Central	19/9—0/3	Somber Ajoe	1/3
Highlands	30/7½+0/7¾	Straits Rub.	19/0
Inch Kenneth	10/9	Strathmore	10/11+0/6¾
Java Amal.	16/0	Sumatra Cons.	13/9
Kepo'-Kuat'n	5/1½	Sumatra Para	2/9
Kamuning	12/3	Sungei Bahru	17/0
Kapar Para	36/10½—/7½	Sungei Busya	19/4½
Kasintos	11/3	Sungei Choh	3/7½
Kepitigalla	7/1½	Sungei Kapar	3/7½
Kepong	4/6	Sungei Kri'n Pl	28/9
Kimanis	7/6	Sungei Salak	32/1½
Kinta Kellas	2/0¾—/0¾	Sungei Way	18/9
Kombok	2/3¾—0/2¼	Talping	1/7½
Kuala Lump.	32/9	Tali Ayer	19/0
Labu	28/3+1/3	Tamiang	16/6
Lanadron	15/7½+0/7½	Tandjong	23/9
Langkat Sum.	15/7½+1/10½	Tebrau	24/0
Langkon	2/9	Telogoredjo	31/3+1/3
Ledbury	27/6	Tempeh	0/10½
Londu	10/0	Tuerangie	13/9
Linggi	26/10½+/7½	Tremelbye	11/3+0/3
Lok Kawi	12/6	Un. Langkat	16/3
Lon-Asiatic	3/7½	Un. Serdang	3/2¼+0/1¼
Malacca	35/0	Un. Sumatra	2/4½
do. Deb.	85	Un. Sua B'long	52/6+1/3
Malayalam	17/9	Un. Temiang	2/3+0/1½
Manch'ter NB	12/9	Val D'Or	2/10
Mombakut	9/0	Vallambrosa	13/0
Merbau	2/0	Way-Halim	0/9½+/0¾
Merlimau	3/0+0/1	Yam Seng	1/11½

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COMPANY MEETINGS.

ANGLO-CONTINENTAL SUPPLY.

Stormy scenes were witnessed at the meeting of the Anglo-Continental Supply Company, held at Winchester House, London, yesterday. The meeting was called to consider a scheme of reconstruction now before the High Court, by which the existing England company will be transferred to a French company. Most of the Preference Shares are held in England, and intense opposition was raised to the scheme, as being unfair to the Preference shareholders. Demands for an adjournment were refused by the President, Mr. Michael Cahen, who was in the chair, and most of the audience left the hall, amid considerable disorder. Ultimately a poll on an amendment in detail to the original scheme was taken of the few remaining Preference shareholders, but the scheme was carried by a majority. A number of shareholders threaten to take legal action to prevent the scheme going through.

LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

Seven steamers landed cattle, sheep and lamb carcases, pork, and fresh beef at Liverpool and Manchester during the past week from the various North and South American and Colonial ports. The vessels, with their freights, were as follow:—

The Hardwick Grange, from Buenos Ayres, with 42,869 sheep and lamb carcases, 852 carcases of pork, 2,375 bags, etc., of meat, and 32,224 quarters of beef; the Caledonian, from Boston, with 502 cattle; the Gallestar, from Zarate, with 17,600 sheep and lamb carcases, and 8,568 quarters of beef; the West Quechee, from Baltimore, with 700 cattle; the Turcoman, from Portland (Me.), with 601 cattle; the Bovic, from New York, with 520 cattle; and the Westmeath, from Australia, at Manchester, with 31,049 sheep and lamb carcases, and 2,419 quarters of beef—making a total of 2,323 cattle, 91,518 sheep and lamb carcases, 852 carcases of pork, 2,375 bags, etc., of meat, and 43,211 quarters of beef. Compared with the arrivals of the preceding week these figures show an increase of 2,323 cattle, 582 bags of meat; and a decrease of 94,276 sheep and lamb carcases, 143 carcases of pork, and 4,006 quarters of beef.

SHELL DUMP EXPLOSION.

BOULOGNE, Saturday.

The clearing up of the hangar, in which an explosion occurred yesterday, killing three men, shows that 1,600 shells exploded.—(Reuter.)

The Paris *Intransigeant* learns from Moscow that, on the demand of Trotsky, the Council of the People's Commissaries has granted a fresh credit of twenty million gold roubles for the development of military aviation.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	59½-60	5½% Treas. Bs.	110¼-11¼
War Ln 5%	94⅞-5+⅛	Irish Lnd 2¾%	60-1
do. 4½%	96-7+1	India 3%	56-7+1
do. 4%	101¼-½	do. 3½%	65-6+1
do. 4%	101-¼+¼	do. 5½%	97½-8½+1½
Fund'g L'n	87⅞-8⅛+¼	do. 7%	112½-13½+1½
Victory Bds	89¼-90+¼	Local Loans	65¾-6¼+¼
3½% Conv. Ln	77⅛-8+1½		

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½, 1943	87-9	Nigeria 6%	110-112
Aust Com. 5½%	101-3	Q'sland 4, 1940-50	83-5+1
do. 6%	102-3	do. 4½, 1920-5	92-4
Brit. Col 4½, 1941	92-4	do. 6%, 1930-40	101-3
Canada 4%	85-7+1	S. Africa 4% Cns	85-7
do. 4½ 1922-8	99-101	do. 6%	103-5
Cape 3½ Cons.	73-7	S.A'stri'n 4, '40-60	84-6
Ceylon 6%	103-10+2	do. 5, 1921-3	100-1
Natal 3½%	[illegible]	do. 5½%	99-101
N.S.W. 4%, 1933-7	90-2	do. 6½%	105-7
do. 5½, 1922-7	100-1	Victoria 4, 1940-60	85-7+1
do. 5½% 1922-32	100-2	do. 6½%, 1923-5	101-3+1
do. 6½ 1930-40	103-7	W. Aust'n 4% '42-62	84-6
N. Zeal'd 4, '29	91-3	do. 5½% 1930-40	101-3

FOREIGN BONDS.

Arg'tine, 1886	98-100	Jap. 4½pc. 1st	103-105+1
do. 5p.c., '07	85-8	do. 4pc. 1905	88-91+½
Brazil 4pc. '89	53-5+1	do. New 5pc 1907	83-5
do. Fund. '08	84-6	Mex. 5pc. '99	70-3
do. 5pc. 1914	78-9+1	do. 6pc. 10-y. Treas.	43-6
Chinese 5 '96	90-2—1	Peruvian Corp.	3⅝-⅞+⅛
do. 4½pc. '98	78-80—1	do. Pref.	20-1+¼
do. 5pc. 1912	72-4—1	do. Deb.	83-5
Egypt'n Un.	72¾-4¼	Portuguese 3pc.	28-30
French Loan	40⅝-5¼	Russian 4pc.	[illegible]
do. 4p.c.	32-5	do. 5 pc. 1906	15-17
German 3 p.c.	2⅛-3	San Paulo 5pc.	106-8+1
Italian Rentes	34-6	Spanish 4pc.	71-7
		Uruguay 3½pc.	64-5+½

HOME RAILS.

Brighton A.	58⅝-9⅝	Metropolitan	41-2
Cald'n. Df. O.	12⅛-⅜	do. 3% Pref.	92-7+1
Chat'm. Or.	10-¼	do. District	33⅜-4⅛
Gt. Cent'l Df.	8⅛-¾	Midland Def.	62-3+½
do. Eastern	38⅝-9⅝	N. Brit. Def.	10⅝-¾+½
do. N. Pref.	67-8	N. East. Con.	95-6
do. Ord.	36½-7	do. 4% Pf.	96-9
do. Western	98-9+½	Southern Def.	36-7
Hull & Barns'y	49-51	do. 5% Pref.	92-6+1
L. & N-Westn.	94⅛-5⅛+½	Under. Elec.	2⅞-⅛
do. 4½ Prf.	93-5	do. "Inc." Bds	73-5
L. & S-W Def.	27-8	do. 6% Dbs	99-101+1
L. & S. W. new Pf.	96-9		

AMERICAN RAILS.

Atchison	113-15	Missouri	8-10+1
Baltimore	54-6	N. Y. Ontario	30-2
Chesapeake	72-4	Southern Com.	27-9
Chicago Milwau.	31-4	do. Pref.	64-6+1
Erie	14-16	Southern Pacific	101-4
do. Pref.	25-7	Union Pacific	135-8

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Antofa. Ord.	60-2	Grand Trunk	1⅛-2¼
Ar. G. W. Ord.	55-8+1	do. 4% Guar.	75-9
Bahia Blanca	68-70	do. 1st Pref.	17-20
Brazil Rail Com.	1-2	do. 2nd Pref.	7-10
B. Ayres Gt. S.	68½-70½	do. 3rd Pref.	4⅞-5⅛
B. Ayres Pac.	47-9—1	do. 4% Pp.	5⅛-½
B. Ayres & W.	68-70	Mex. Rails	10⅝-½
Can. Pacific	163-5+1	do. 8p.c. Pf.	44-6
Cen. Arg'tine	61-3—½	do. 6p.c. Pf.	27-9
Con. Urug'y	4-6	Mex. Nat. 1st Pf.	15-17+2
Entre Rios	17½-19½	Mex. 2nd Pf.	7-8+1
do. 6p.c. Pf.	53⅛-3½	San Paulo Or.	113-16
Leopoldina	29⅛-8½	Un. Havana	57-9

BANKS.

Agricul. Egypt.	3¼-½	Can. of Com.	41-43
A. Sth. Amer.	9⅞-⅛	Hong Kong	110-12
Aust'lasia	11-¼	Lloyds	2⅞-3
Bank N.S.W.	38⅝-9⅛	Lon. & Brazilian	[illegible]
do. N.Z'land (£1)	2⅛-½	London Jt. St.	[illegible]
Barclay "A"	7⅝-⅞	Lo. W'mins'r	3⅞-4⅛
Brit. Bk. F. Trade	½-¾	Nat. Prov (£4p)	10⅞-11⅛
Brit. Overseas	4⅞-5⅛	Stand. S.A.	12⅛-¼+⅛
Chart. of India	17⅞-18+½	Union of Aus.	13-½

TELEGRAPHS.

A.-Amer. Df.	22¼-3+½	Marconi Can.	10/6-11/0+0/3
Marconi Ord.	2⅞-3+⅛	Radio Corp.	17/3-17/9+0/3
do. Pref.	2⅛-¼+⅛	do. Pref.	14/7½-15/1½+0/6
do. Marine	1⅜-⅝		

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aboukir Land	1⅛-¼	Im. Tobac. Or.	58/9-60/3—0/3
Aerated Bread	1⅛-½	J. Brown	19/0-21/0
Alliance	18-19—½	do. (15/p)	14/0-16/0
Allsopp £1 Sh.	1-⅛+⅛	Lipton	1⅛-¼
do. 5% Pref.	[illegible]	Lyons (J.)	3½-4
Amal. Cotton	1⅞-9⅛+⅛	Lautaro Nit.	[illegible]
Angels	33/3-34/3+0/9	Laver 7% Pf.	19/9-20/9
Anglo-Arg. 1st	3⅛-⅝+⅛	do. Debs	104-6
Anglo-Chil'n	2⅛-⅜	Lagunas Nit.	32/0-34/0+1/0
do. Pref.	2⅛-⅜	Linen Thread	1⅛-½+⅛
Ara'nt. N'n. Ld.	1⅝-⅞	Liverpool Nit.	1⅝-¾+⅛
do. South. Ld.	2⅛-⅜	London Nit.	1⅛-¼
Armstrong	17/6-18/6	Mc'Intosh J. Pf.	24/0-30/0
A.P. Cement	18/0-19/0+0/6	Magadi Soda	[illegible]
do. Pref.	17/0-18/0	Maypole Def.	[illegible]
Baldwins	1⅛-¼+⅛	Mond Nickel	1⅛-¼
B'heolumy Pf.	1⅝-⅞	Montre'l Lt. Ht	10⅛-11⅛
Bass Rat. Pf.	88-9	Mex. Trams.	14-17+1
Borax Con. Df.	1⅞-½+⅛	do. Bonds	69-72
Brit. P'd. Cut.	23/0-25/0	Gt. L. & P. Bs.	73-6
B.S.A.	9/3-10/3	Niger Pref.	14/9-15/9+0/3
B. Mot. Tr'de	[illegible]	Nobel Ord.	1⅛-¼
B. & A. Meat	1⅛-¼	do. Pref.	[illegible]
Brit. Oil & Ck	[illegible]	do. Def.	[illegible]
Brunner Mond	1⅛-½	Pahang (5s)	[illegible]
B.N.B. Land	[illegible]	Parent Tyre Df.	1⅛-¼
Brazil'n Tract	49⅝-51⅝+½	do. Ord.	1⅛-⅜
Brit. Col-Elec.	72-5	Pease Partins	27/0-29/0
do. 4½% Dbs.	86-90	P. & O. Def.	2⅞-3⅛
Brit. Glass	2/6-3/0+0/3	Pekin Syn.	[illegible]
Bryant & May	1⅝-2	Projectiles (£1)	[illegible]
Bleachers	1⅛-¼	Royal Mail Or.	93-10+5
B. A. Tobacco	76/0-8/0	Rio Negro Lands	[illegible]
Bradford Dyers	1⅜-½	Roneo	[illegible]
Brit. C. & W. Dy.	5/6-5/9	Rolls Royce	1⅜-½+⅛
Calico Printers	18/3-19/0	Rosario Nit.	26/0-8/0+0/3
Cammell Laird	15/0-16/	Salt Union	[illegible]
Cargo Fleet	15/0-17/0	S. Durham St'l	2⅛-⅜
Coats	3⅛-¼+⅛	Sant'Paulo Dr.	93-6
Courtaulds	2⅛-2¼	San Patricio Nit.	5/0-5/6—0/3
Court Line	21/0-23/0+0/6	Sth. Hetton	[illegible]
Cosmos Stl.	[illegible]	Sth. Metro. Gas	[illegible]
Cunard Ord.	2⅛-⅜	Santa Rita	[illegible]
De La Rue Sp. c.	108⅛-9⅛+½	Santiago	[illegible]
Dunlop Rub.	[illegible]	Saltr. del O'men	[illegible]
do. Deb.	103-5+½	Ship Canal	[illegible]
Dorman Long	18/0-19/0—0/3	do. Pref.	5⅛-¼+⅛
English Elect.	15/0-17/6—1/3	Siemens	[illegible]
Eng. Sew Cot'n.	2⅛-¼	Smith & A. Mt.	[illegible]
Fine Spinners	1⅞-2	Tarapaca Nit.	13/0-14/0
Forestal	1-⅛+⅛	Ur. Cold Storage	1⅛-¼
Furness With.	1⅛-¼+⅛	Un. Dry. Ser.	1⅛-¼+⅛
Gen. Elect. Db	103⅞-5⅛	United Alkali	[illegible]
Guinness	41-2+1	Un. Prem. Oil & C.	1⅝-⅞+⅛
do. Pref.	110-113+1½	United Steel	12/0-13/0
Gramophone Ord	1-1¼	Van Den Berghs	1⅛-¼+⅛
Harrod's	4½-5	do. Pref.	4⅛-5
Hoyle Deb.	105¾-6¼+½	W'paper Df.	1⅛-¼+⅛
Hudson's Bay Or.	6⅛-7	Wear'll'e o.p.o.	1⅛-¼

TEA SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 48/3+1/3; Assam, 59¼+¼; Ceylon Plant, 72/-+3d.; Dooars, 43/6+1/6; East Produce, 43/-—1/3; Empire, 38/3-3d.; Imperial Ord., 18/7½+1/1½; Jokai, 19¼+⅛; Lebong, 32/3-1/9.

* Ex div.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—60, 89⅛, ⅛, ¼, 60¼, 59¾, ⅞, 60¼, 60. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—94¼, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—95⅞, 6, 5¾, 6¼, 6. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *99¼, 101⅛, ¼. **4 p.c. War Loan**—101⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼, 100¼, ¼, ⅛. **Funding Loan**—87¼, ⅛, ⅜, 8, ⅛, 7⅞, ⅛, ⅛. **Victory Bonds**—89⅛, ¼, ⅜, 90, ⅛, ⅛, ¼, 89⅝, ¼. **Conversion Loan**—76⅞, 7, 6¾, 7¼, ⅛, 8, ⅛, 7⅞, 8, 7⅞, 6⅞. **India 7 p.c. Loan**—111½, 12¼, ⅛, 13¼, 13. **Sudan 5½ p.c.**—108, 7⅛, 8¼, 8. **Port of London 6 p.c.**—107¼, 6¾, 7⅛, ⅛. **Australia 6 p.c. Stock**—104¼, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **South Africa 6 p.c.**—104⅛, ¼, 5, 4½, 5⅛, 4⅞. **Aerated Bread**—*34/3, 9d., 5/-, 6d., 4/9. **African and Eastern**—35/7½, 5/-, 6d., 3/-. **Allsopp Ord.**—9/6, 10/-, 3d., 9/6. **Amalgamated Cotton**—12/6, 3d., 1½d., 9d., 7½d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—29/9, 4½d., 10½d., 31/-, 29/9, 10½d. **Anglo-Egyptian Oil**—35/-, 7½d., 6/3, 4/4½. **Armstrong**—18/-, 3d., 17/9, 18/1½, 17/7½. **Assam Company**—59¼. **Assoc. Cement**—18/7½, 6d., *18/-, 10½d., 19/-. **Barclays Bank "A"**—7⅝, *¼, ¼, ⅛, ⅛. **do. "B"**—61/4½, 6d., 3d., *1/-, 7½d., 1/-. **Brit. Amer. Tobacco**—77/3, *6/3, 7/6, 6/9, 7/3. **British Controlled Oil Common**—10/-, 9/3, 11/3, 9d., 4½d., 10/6, 11/7½, 11/-, 9d., 10/11½, 12/-, 11/3, 12/1½; **do. Pref.**—10/7½, 9/7½, 6d., 11/-, 9d., 4½d., 12/-, 11/3, 12/1½, 10/6, 11/9, 4½d., 10/10½, 4½d., 11/6½. **British Argentine Meat** (x.d.)—28/-, 1½d., 7/10½, 8/4½. **British Burmah Oil**—17/6, 16/-, 18/5½, 16/1½, 3d. **British Dyestuffs Pref.**—7/-, 6/9, 7/6, 3d., 6/7½; **do. Pref. Ord.**—4/9, 5/-, 1½d., 4/7½. **British Oil and Cake**—26/1½, 5/7½, 6/10½, 4½d. **British Overseas Bank**—26¼, ⅛. **Brooklands Rubber**—3/0½. **Brunner Mond**—28/3, 7/9, 8/6, 1½d. **B.S.A.**—9/7½, 10½d., 10/3, 9/6, 10½d. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—68½, 9¼, *8¼, 9, ½. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—68½, ½, 9. **Burmah Oil**—5⅜, ⅜, ⅛, ⅜, ⅛, ⅜. **Canadian Pacific**—162⅞, 3, ⅝, 4, 5, ⅝, 4⅛, 3¼. **Cargo Fleet**—15/6, 7½d., 4½d. **Central Argentine Ord.**—62⅛, ⅛, ½, 1¼. **Chinese Engineering and Mining**—71/3, 5/-; **do. Debs.**—97. **Coats**—64/7½, 9d., 1½d., 3/9, 4/-. **Dock (St. Paul's) Ord.**—15/6, 16/7½, 10½d., 17/-; **do. Part. Pref.**—19/9, 20/-, 3d., 6d. **Cory (Wm.)**—47/3, 6/-, 7/4½, 6/10½. **Courtaulds**—44/9, 10½d., 3d., 1½d., 8½d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—8/9, 9/-, 8/10½, 3d., 6d. **Crosse and Winkworth Pref.**—15/-, 14/10½, 6d., 9½d. **Cunard Ord.**—23/6, 3/-, 2/9, 3/3, 7½d.; **do. Debs.**—105½, ½, 6, 7. **Dunlop Ord.**—8/3, 6d., *8/-, 4½d., 3½d.; **do. Debs.**—104¼, 4, ⅛, 5, ⅛, 4½. **Empire of India Tea**—38/-, 3d. **English Oilfields**—6/-, 6d., 10½d., 5/9. **English Sewing Cotton**—42/9. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—38/3, 7/6. **General Electric Debs.**—105¼, 5, 4¾, 5¼, 4½, 5. **Grand Central Rubber**—20/-, 19/9. **Grand Trunk Ord.**—40/-, 2/6, 37/6. **Great Eastern Rails**—39, ¼, ⅛, ¼, ½, ⅛. **Great Western Rail.**—98⅛, 9, 8⅞, 8, ¼, ⅛, 100¼, 1, ⅛, ⅛. **Western 5 p.c. Pref.**—101¼, ⅛, 1½, 2/-, *30/-, 1/-, 100¼. **Harrod's Ord.**—31/3¼, 10½d., 2/-, *30/-, 1/-, *30/7½. **Highlands Rubber**—29/-, 9d., 30/7½, 30/-. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—6⅛, ⅜, ⅛, ¼, 3d., 9/-. **Imperial Tobacco**—59/4½, 3d., 9/-, 9d., 3d., *4½d., 9d. **Kern River Oil**—23/10½, 4/1½, 3d., 4½d., 19/10½, 20/6; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—20/3, 1½d., 20/-, 19/10½; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—20/-, 19/10½, 20/6, 19/9, 10½d.; **do. Debs.**—105¼, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Linggi Rubber**—26/3. **Lipton Ord.**—24/3, 3/6, 4/4½. **Lloyds Bank**—58/1½, 6d., 7½d., 4½d. **Lobitos Oil**—5⅛, *5, ⅛, 5-64. **London, Brighton Def.**—58⅛, 9¼, ⅛, 9, ⅛, 8½. **London County Bank**—17¼, ⅛, ½, £17 11/-, 17⅛. **London Joint City Bank**—8¼, ⅜, ⅛. **London North-Western Rail.**—95⅛, 5, ⅛, 4⅞, ⅜, *4, 5, 4⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—73/9, 3/-, 4/4⅛, 5/-; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—22/9, 1½d., 3d., 6d. **Magadi Soda Ord.**—10/1, 1½d., 3½d. **Marconi Ord.**—*46/10½, 3d., 8/1½, 9/9, 50/-, 47/6, 6/6, 7/9; **do. Pref.**—43/9; **do. Marine**—29/3, 4½d., 8/9, 9/6, 8/9; **do. Canada**—10/6, 11/-, 3d., 4½d., 6d., 10/10½. **Maypole Def.**—6/7½, 4½d., 3½d., 7½d. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—71/6½, 70/7½, 1/3, *69/4½, *72/6, 70/3½. **Midland Railway Def.**—*62¼, ¼, ⅛, 3, *3, ⅛, 4. **Mond Nickel**—30/7½. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£5)**—9⅞, ⅛; **do. (£4)**—10⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £10 16/9, 10⅛. **Niger 8 p.c. Pref.**—15/3, 6d., 9d., 15/-, 4½d. **Nobel Indus.**—11/1½, 11/-, 10/10½; **do. Pref.**—16/6, *10½d., 3½d., 3d.; **do. Deferred**—3/6. **Pahang Consol.**—6/9. **Prov. Cinematograph Pref. Ord.**—8/7½, 9/-, 10/-, 9/3. **Radio Corp. Com.**—17/9; **do. Pref.**—14/9, 15/-. **Royal Dutch**—42¼, ⅛, ⅛. **Rumanian Oil**—15/1½, 9d., 6d., 14/9, 15/-. **Rubber Trust**—16/4½, 3d., 10½d., 7½d. **Scottish-American Oil**—2/10½, 11½d., *7½d., 3/1½. **Shell**—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £5 9/6, *5⅛, 5 1-64. **Tankers Pref.**—*8/4½, 7/9, 8/3. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—25/-, 3½d., 3/9, 5/-. **Trinidad Central Oil**—60/-, 59/4½, *7/6, 6/3, 60/-, 58/9, 4/8½, 59/10½. **Underground Elec.**—47/6, 6/10½, 8/9. **United Dairies**—24/10½, 5/-, 4/3, 4½d., 9d. **United of Havana Rail.**—57⅛, 8. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—13/3½, 14/-, 13/7½, 14/1½. **United Serdang**—3/1½, 3d., 2d. **Uroz Oil**—10/7½, 3d., 6d., 11/-, 3d., 10/9, 10/-, 12/1½, 10/4½, 11/7½, 9d., 12/-, *10/-, 2½d. **Vickers**—12/3, 13/-, 1½d., 11/10½, 12/-. **Workman Clark Debs.**—90½, ¼, 90¼, 1½.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

The Nine-Power Agreement was approved by the Japanese Privy Council on Saturday, and will now be submitted to the Throne for formal ratification.

THE MONEY MARKET.

QUIET CONDITIONS.

MARK IMPROVES.

Conditions were very quiet in Lombard street yesterday, and no feature of any particular interest developed. Supplies of loanable funds were adequate on the whole, although in some quarters there was a comparative shortage. Daily loans were 2 per cent., with balances for the night offering more cheaply. Fixtures were going on at 2¼ per cent., and a little money for a week or so could be obtained now and again at 2¼ per cent. Discounts were inactive. The banks were not buying, and there appeared to be little interest in bills elsewhere. Fine three and four months' bank bills were 2¼ per cent. easy, with 2⅛ per cent. sometimes quoted. Second-hand Treasury bills (new series) attracted little interest at 2¼ per cent., while shorter dates were 2¼ to 2⅛ per cent.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 13, 1922.				4%
60 days (Bks)	2⅛	Trade	3½	4
3 months	2⅛	"	3½	4
4 months	2⅛	"	4	4½
6 months	2½	"	2½	1⅞
Loans to brokers day-to-day			2½	2¾
" " for a week			2½	2¾
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				2
" Discount houses, at call				2
" " at notice				2¼

Gold was unchanged at 93s. 5d. Bar silver spurted ⅛d. for both spot and forward delivery to 34⅛d. per ounce, both positions.

In the foreign exchange market, German marks enjoyed a further improvement to 1,110-1,120. French francs were steady at 47.50, and Belgian at 51.60. Sterling was harder on New York at 4.42¼. The following are closing quotations:—

—	April 24.		April 21.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½d
Amsterdam	11.63	11.65	11.64	11.65	12.10
B. Ayres	43½	44⅛	43¾	44	47.58
Barcelona	28.42	28.45	28.46	28.49	25.22
Berlin	1,110	1,120	1,210	1,220	20.40
Bombay	1/3⅝	1/3⅞	1/3⅝	1/3⅞	1/4½
Brussels	51.55	51.65	51.55	51.60	25/22½
Calcutta	1/3⅝	1/3⅞	1/3⅝	1/3⅞	1/4
Christiania	23.30	23.35	23.15	23.25	18.15
Copenhagen	20.70	20.80	20.75	20.80	18.15
Czecho-Slovak	220	230	220	225	—
Finland	235	240	235	240	25.22½
Greece	98	100	98	100	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/5¾	2/6⅛	2/6	2/7	†
Hungary	3,400	3,500	3,400	3,600	—
Italy	81½	81¾	81	81¼	25.22½
Lisbon	4½	4⅝	4	4¼	53⅛d.
Madrid	28.40	28.50	28.45	28.50	25.22½
Mexico	26⅛		26⅛		24½d.
Montreal	4.49	4.51	4.51	4.52	4.86
Montevideo	42⅛	42⅝	42⅛	42⅝	51d.
New York	4.42⅛	4.42⅜	4.41⅝	4.42⅛	4.86
Paris	47.45	47.55	47.50	47.55	25.22
Poland	16,000	18,000	16,000	18,000	—
Rio de Janeiro	7⅛	7⅜	7⅛	7⅜	16d
Roumania	585	615	585	605	—
Shanghai	3/4⅛	3/5⅛	3/5	3/6	†
Singapore	2/3⅛		2/3⅛		2/4½
Stockholm	16.95	17.05	16.95	17.05	18.15
Switzerland	22.70	22.75	22.70	22.75	25.22
Valparaiso	39.50		39.90		13.33
Vienna	32,000	34,000	32,000	34,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅛	2/1⅜	2/1⅛	2/1⅜	24.5d.

† Varied by silver.

The *Times* quotation for the German mark to-day is 1,085.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

SALAR DEL CARMEN NITRATE.—Further dividend of 15 per cent., less tax.

LANCASHIRE WAGON.—Dividend at the rate of 10 p.c. per annum (free of income tax).

ALOR PONGSU RUBBER.—Dividend of 10 p.c. (less tax).

MATTHEW BROWN AND CO.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. per annum.

UNITED SUA BETONG RUBBER.—Further dividend of 10 per cent. actual.

FARMERS LOAN AND TRUST.—Quarterly dividend of 5 per cent.

INGERSOLL RAND.—Dividend of 2½ per cent. on Common stock.

OLD SILKSTONE COLLIERIES.—Further dividend of 5 per cent., free of tax, making 10 per cent., free of tax, for the year.

CALCUTTA ELECTRIC SUPPLY.—Final dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. actual, making 10 per cent. for the year, plus a bonus of 1 per cent.

"ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS" AND "SKETCH."—Dividend of 5½ per cent. per annum, less tax, on Preference shares for half-year.

DEBENTURE SECURITIES INVESTMENT.—Dividend of 8½ per cent. per annum on Ordinary stock.

BRITISH BANK OF SOUTH AMERICA.—Dividend of 14/- per share, making 24/- (12 p.c.) for the year.

BANDJARSARIE RUBBER.—Accounts for year to December 31 show a loss of £5,388. £4,777 excess profits duty was recovered.

ROYAL INSURANCE CO.—Final dividend of 11/- per share, less income tax, making, with the interim dividend paid in November last, 20/- per share, less tax, for the year 1921.

GOLD COAST AMALGAMATED.—A dividend of 1/- per share, less tax, making with the interim dividend of 6d. per share, 1/6 (7½ per cent.) for the year.

BRITISH CELLULOSE.—The accounts of the British Cellulose and Chemical Manufacturing Company relate to the twelve months ended June 30, ... of £758,415. The loss on the year is reduced to £673,407 by the credit balance of £85,007 brought in, but the Board have, in the circumstances, decided to write off the £505,035 of preliminary, and the £120,862 of inaugural, expenses still figuring in the balance sheet as assets, so that the actual deficit is £1,099,305. The assets remaining, it may be noted, include £1,885,738 for goodwill, patents, and patent rights at cost. To preserve the enterprise, and to prevent the £3,780,807 of real estate, machinery, and equipment assets from going at break-up prices, may be considered the substantial ground for the proposals of the directors. The company has come to the end of its resources. The difficulties, it appears, have arisen over the dyeing of the artificial silk fabrics which the company was promoted to manufacture. Up to the present time the dyeing has not been satisfactory. A way has also to be found out of the financial embarrassments, represented by the lack of cash, and by the necessity already of having had to raise £452,500 on debentures to meet current obligations and outlays. The scheme is to issue through a holding company, 8 per cent. debentures for £500,000, ranking (with consent) before £302,300 of debentures already issued, and redeemable at 105. In consideration of this assistance the British Cellulose Company is to pay to the holding company 2½ per cent. on its annual sales turnover up to a maximum of £50,000 a year for 25 years, and the new debenture-holding company is to be represented by three additional directors. Of the £500,000 part is to be used to pay off the bank and other creditors, leaving £336,800 to carry on with. The second part of the scheme, dealing with the balance of loss, is to cancel for three years the dividend rights of the cumulative Preference shares, and to write down the 2,300,000 £1 Ordinary shares to 10s. each, thus wiping out £1,150,000 of capital liability, as against the £1,099,305. The unissued Ordinary capital is to be cut down to half in the same way.

WARNING TO STRIKERS.

INTIMIDATION WILL NOT BE ALLOWED

In the Dublin Police Court, before Mr. Lupton, K.C., on Saturday, Margaret Garland and Mary Harris were charged with having intimidated and assaulted Catherine and Mary McClure, sisters, by pulling a parcel of beans from one and a parcel of peas from the other.

From the evidence it appeared that there was a strike of the employés at the Henry street branch of Woolworth and Co., and that the McClure girls were on their way from Mary street, where they reside, to the Grafton street premises of Woolworth and Co. (where there is no strike), when they were attacked in Sackville street by the defendants, who took their parcels from them, called them "Scabs," and said that "they had sold their principles."

Mr. Cawley (instructed by Messrs. O'Connor and Co.) appeared for the defendants, and said that, if any assault had occurred, it was only of a technical character, and it had emerged out of labour troubles.

Mr. Lupton—If there are labour troubles, do you say that all those who are connected with labour troubles are entitled to go out and use force to prevent other people attending to their lawful duties?

Mr. Cawley said that he did not for a moment say that. What he said was that there was a labour dispute in progress, and at such a time it sometimes happened that things were done that were not altogether legal. The defendants were sorry for what had occurred.

Mr. Lupton said that it was his duty to protect the public and to see that the rightful liberty of the subject was not interfered with. The defendants would have to go to jail for seven days for the assault, and then give bail for their future good behaviour, or go to jail for a month.

Later Mr. Cawley appealed to Mr. Lupton to remit the imprisonment and to impose a fine instead.

Mr. Lupton said that, as far as he was concerned, he would punish anyone who deliberately interfered with the liberty of the subject.

Mr. Cawley observed that they were living in abnormal times.

Mr. Lupton—The sooner we get back to the normal state of things the better. If people believe that they can do these things and will not be punished they will find themselves mistaken if they come before me.

Mr. Cawley appealed to his worship not to impose imprisonment, as it might have a serious effect on the prisoners' future.

Mr. Lupton said that, as far as he was concerned, he would not allow these things to go on. But, as an appeal had been made to him on behalf of the defendants, and as they in that appeal expressed regret for what they had done, he would allow the case to stand for six months, and the defendants would have to give bail for their future good behaviour and to come up for judgment if, and when, within the six months, they were so required.

Mr. E. H. Burne, solicitor, conducted the prosecution.

CATTLE-DRIVING IN ROSCOMMON

Extensive cattle driving, says our Correspondent, took place in the Castlerea district during Friday and Saturday last. About 3,000 acres of grass land were cleared of their stock.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

BIRKENHEAD, Monday.—Supplies, 500 cattle and 700 sheep. Owing to the exceptionally short supply of cattle on offer to-day there was a firm trade. Best qualities bullocks and heifers made up to 1/0¼, secondary sorts from 11d. to 11½d. per lb. Cows and bulls were also a better trade. A firm trade was experienced for the sheep and lambs on offer. Best quality hoggets made 1/7 and good spring lambs 2/- per lb., sinking the offal. At the dressed beef section, with light supplies sides made from 11d. to 11½d. for beef.

Lever's Cake and Meal, Webb's Seed. Agent: Wm. Rourke, 36 North Circular road, Dublin.—(Advt.)

GRAIN.

MARK LANE, Monday.—ENGLISH WHEAT firm. Whites delivered up 57/- to 59/-, reds 57/- to 59/-. Foreign grades firm and occasionally 1/- dearer; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 66/- ex ship, Australian spot 62/-, Rosafe 64lbs. 60/- ex ship. FLOUR firm. Canadian exports patents 47/6 ex store, Minneapolis 1st patents 47/6 ex store, Canadian straights 44/6 ex store, London straight standard 48/- ex mill, Australian patents 45/- ex store. GRINDING BARLEY steady. English 39/- to 41/-, No. 3 Canada Western 36/- landed, River Plate 34/- landed. OATS maintained. Plate 6d. dearer, English 30/- to 35/6, No. 2 Canadian Western 31/6 landed, Plate 25/- to 28/- landed, American white clipped 26/- landed. MAIZE firmly held. Plate 6d. dearer, mixed American 34/- landed, yellow African 37/6, Plate 41/6 ex ship, 43/6 landed.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.—WHEAT—Higher quotations from America were instrumental in placing speculative positions of wheat on a higher level during early trading, but heavy world's shipments brought about a reaction, though, with sellers reserved, prices finished at the best point. C.i.f. parcels dearer; No. 3 Manitoba April-May sold at 54/6, No. 2 hard winter July-August 52/4½, 52/- and 52/3, Rosario-Santa Fe (63lbs.) May-June 57/-, ditto 64lbs. April-May 56/9 to 57/- to Liverpool, and Australian afloat at 56/4½ per qr. to Manchester. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE River Plate old crop afloat quoted 40/6, new April-May 38/-, American mixed kiln dried April 30/9 per qr. Wheat on the spot firmly held for recent full prices. Maize spot parcels steady at late rates; American mixed old crop quoted 6/9 to 6/10, new 6/8½ to 6/9, and River Plate 8/9½ to 8/10 per cental. FLOUR quietly steady at late rates.

NEWCASTLE CORN, Saturday.—Corn, flour, and cereals higher in price. Foreign wheat 63/- to 70/-, English 50/- to 52/-. American maize 34/-, Plate 42/-. Scotch oats 33/- to 35/-, foreign 33/-; grinding barley 36/-, malting and seed 40/- to 45/-. Flour 50/- to 53/-, boxings £9 5/-. Bran £8 5/-, broad bran £9 15/-.

PROVISIONS.

LONDON, Monday.—BUTTER—Market firm with a steady demand. Shipments from the Colonies are on a reduced scale. Dutch creameries 190/-, finest Danish 178/- to 184/-, Australian finest 170/- to 175/-, good to fine 160/- to 168/-, unsalted 156/- to 172/-, New Zealand finest 184/- to 188/-, secondary 180/- to 182/-, Argentine 160/- to 166/-. CHEESE—Market remains firm, but generally quiet. Stocks of old English are practically exhausted. Canadian white 90/- to 102/-, coloured 94/- to 105/-, New Zealand white 84/- to 86/-, coloured 92/- to 96/-, finest Cheshire and Cheddar old nominal, Stiltons loaf 10d. to 2/- per lb.; Dutch, finest farmers' Edam 40 p.c. 82/- to 86/-, 30 p.c. 70/- to 74/-, 20 p.c. 58/- to 62/-; Gouda, 40 p.c. and over 72/- to 90/-, 30 p.c. 58/- to 62/-, 20 p.c. 50/- to 54/-. BACON—Market firm with a fair inquiry for Continental selections. Irish scarce. Canadian and American quiet. Irish 148/- to 157/-, Danish 120/- to 136/-, Swedish 126/- to 134/-, Dutch 118/- to 126/-, Canadian 110/- to 125/-, heavy weights 116/- to 122/-, American Cumberland cut 100/-. Bellies—Box, English cut 76/- to 84/-, American Wiltshire cut 95/- to 105/-, Canadian cured 95/- to 100/-, English cured 94/-. HAMS—Market firm and American sparingly offered; York and Cumberland 190/- to 240/-, American long cut 140/-, do. heavy 135/-, American short 134/- to 138/-, do. heavy 134/- to 138/-, New York 80/- to 82/-, picnics 75/- to 78/-. LARD steady and American in short supply; Irish 68/- to 76/- ex factory, American cartons 72/-, American boxes 66/- to 67/3, American pails 70/9, Danish 68/- to 70/-, Dutch boxes 64/6 to 65/-. EGGS—Best qualities slow, but there is a fair demand for other descriptions; Jugo-Slavia 12/3 to 12/6, English new laid 15/- to 16/-, Italians, 17lbs. 14/- to 14/6, 16lbs. 13/6, 15lbs. 13/-, Irish 13/- to 13/6, Hungarian and Styrian blues 12/6 to 12/9, reds 10/6, Dutch all brown 16/- to 17/-, mixed 14/-, Bulgarian 12/3 to 12/6; Danish, 18lbs. 15/- to 15/6, 16lbs. 13/6 to 14/-, 15lbs. 13/6; Egyptian 9/- to 10/6, Lithuanian 11/6 to 12/6, Chinese 11/- to 11/6.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.—BACON—Cable advices from Chicago were encouraging, with regard to both live hogs and speculative products, and arrivals of American bacon at this port are limited, and, while past week's shipments shows an increase, they are still considered only moderate. Demand on the whole here is only moderate, and American Wiltshires are realising 95/- to 102/- per cwt.; Cumberlands of light average move moderately at recent currencies. HAMS firmly held and dearer for short cut at 133/- to 140/-, and extra skinned 152/- to 158/- per cwt. Shoulders quietly steady at late rates. Canadian Wiltshires firm at 112/- to 122/- per cwt. Irish firm at the recent advance, which, however, restricts business somewhat. Continental maintains recent advance. LARD on the spot, following higher c.i.f. quotations, is 6d. to 1/- per cwt. dearer at 64/6 to 65/6 for prime steam, and 66/- to 67/6 per cwt. for American refined. CHEESE quiet and easier, with Canadian white quoted 92/- to 95/-, coloured 96/- to 98/- per cwt. BUTTER firm, and in moderate request at late rates. EGGS remained firm but quiet at 14/- to 15/- per 120 Irish.

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DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Saturday.—Large market of seasonable vegetables. Sales well supported, and everything quickly cleared. Broccoli, 2/6 to 4/9 per dozen; seconds, 1/3 to 1/9 per dozen; York cabbage, 50/- to 70/-, 85/-, and special loads, 116/-; rhubarb, 5/6 to 8/6 per dozen bundles; scallions, 1/- to 1/3 per bundle; white turnips, 6d. to 8d. and 10d.; swedes, 2/6 to 4/3 per cwt.; carrots, 2/- to 2/4 and 3/3 per dozen bundles; salad, 8d. to 2/6 per dozen. Other commodities around previous average rates.

DUBLIN POTATO, Saturday.—Supplies fair. Trade remains dull. City prices, 6/6 to 7/- per cwt. for best run of table potatoes.

DUBLIN FISH, Saturday.—Fair fish supply on market, including 26 boxes salmon and 10 chests oysters. Poor trade. Market closed Monday, 24th inst. Salmon averaged 2/6 to 2/9 per lb.; best lobsters, 17/6 to 20/- per 13; others, 5/- to 10/- and 15/- per ditto; turbot, 1/- to 12/6; brill, 6d. to 5/- and 6/- each; best soles, 20/- to 25/- per 9 pairs; mediums, 15/- to 17/6; slips, 5/- to 7/6 per 9 pairs; best plaice, 4/- to 6/- per 4; others, 4/- to 5/- and 6/- per 8; half-boxes plaice, 20/- to 50/- and 60/-; codfish, 20/- to 30/-; ray, 15/- to 20/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Monday.—Supply fair, moderate demand. Salmon 2/6 to 2/10, soles 10d. to 1/4, slips 1/- to 1/3 per lb., live eels 25/- to 35/-, dead 18/- to 26/-, ... turbot 8/- to 12/-, brill 10/- to 12/-, plaice 10/- to 15/-, halibut 13/- ... cod 3/- to 8/-, whiting 4/-, hake 6/-, gurnet ... haddocks 2/6 to 7/6 per stone.

CORK BUTTER, Saturday.—Centrifugal creamery 180/- to 170/-, factory 165/- to 155/-, firsts 153/-, fresh butter 151/-.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Monday.—Beef steady, fair demand. Scotch, long 8 to 8/-, short 8/8 to 9/-; English, 6/8 to 7/-; Argentine chilled hind, 4/8. Mutton fully steady; Scotch ... and wethers, 12/- to 13/8; English wethers 11/- to 13/-; ewes, 6/4 to 7/4, frozen 4/4 to 5/2. Lamb steady; English 14/- to 16/-.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Monday.—SUGAR—A moderate business resulted in spot parcels of refined at late rates. Terminal market quiet. COFFEE—Private market firm, with a steady home trade demand. Futures steady. TEA—Indian auctions were resumed to-day, some 23,000 packages being offered. A rather slack market resulted, in view of the near approach of the Budget statement. RICE—Market quite idle and quotations for the main part nominal. SPICE—Pepper ruled steady; fair black Singapore spot 3½d., May-July 3½d., Alleppy spot 4½d., Tellicherry 4½d., white Singapore 7½d., Muntok spot 7½d. Zanzibar cloves spot 1/2, fair tapioca spot 1½d. per lb. Ginger quiet, unaltered. JUTE—Calcutta cabled strong, with few orders, and increased firmness was observable in the London centre. Hessians and twills were but quietly supported, but sellers required previous quotations. HEMP—Manila quietly steady. New Zealand dull. Sisal steady. Indian dull. SHELLAC steady; T.N. spot 385/- to 390/-. RUBBER—A moderate business resulted at easy prices: standard crepe and sheet spot and April sold 8⅝d. to 8⅞d. and 8¾d., May 9d. to 8¾d., June 9d., July-September 9¼d. to 9⅜d., October-December 9¼d. to 9⅜d. To New York sheet May-June quoted 8⅝d., c.i.f.; fine hard Para spot 10½d., ball 8d. per lb. OILS—Linseed stronger; spot 43/6. Rape and cotton unchanged. Turpentine quietly firm. Petroleum and rosin unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed dearer; Calcutta afloat sold £22 to £22 5/-. Rapeseed steady; Toria April-May quoted £12 5/-. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian black April quoted £11 15/-, white £11 5/-. Bombay £9 per ton. LINSEED CAKES—The improvement of last week is well maintained, and in some instances values have further slightly advanced, especially for home-made descriptions, which are to-day firmly held at £13 10/- to £13 15/- per ton, while East India seed makes for shipment may be bought at £12 10/- to £13 per ton ex ship terms. COTTON CAKES—The market is practically bare of stocks of Egyptians, but there are sellers of April-May shipment from Alexandria at £7 15/- per ton ex ship. At the same time prices have a distinctly hardening tendency and the quantity available is comparatively small, while English continue in small production, and are the turn dearer at £8 5/- to £8 10/- per ton, and Bombays at £7 per ton. SUGAR FOODS—Best cane cattle feeding treacle is in moderate request at £5 per ton in 6 cwt. casks.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—CANE SUGAR quiet, with sellers of forward Cubans at 13/- per cwt. c.i.f., basis 96 deg. pol. COCOA remains steady but quiet; sales of West African on spot at 42/- per cwt. in bonds. COFFEE—A firm tone prevails, with business restricted, owing to the absence of any offers of consequence in spot and near positions. RICE steady spot and forward, but business somewhat slow. LINSEED quiet but firm, £20 15/- per ton nearest quotation for forward shipment of River Plate April-May. COTTONSEED steady but quiet; for Brazilian buyers continue at £8 5/- per ton for forward shipments. HEMP—Manila steady and unchanged, but no business reported. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak on spot scarce, and 18/- the nearest value; February-April shipment 15/3 c.i.f., 15/- March-May, and 14/4½ per cwt. May-July. JAPANESE PEAS scarce on spot, and nearest value 50/- to 51/-, and forward positions also sparingly offered, with 47/6 to 48/- per cwt. quoted for afloat, according to position. RANGOON BEANS neglected by buyers, but 9/- to 10/- repeated for spot white handpicked and 8/- per cwt. for f.a.q. COPRA quiet, with sundried West African sorts nominally £23 5/- per ton. RICE BRAN steady, with £5 2/6 quoted for spot and near positions, and £6 per ton forward, ex ship terms. LOCUST BEANS without change at £5 15/- for spot parcels of Cyprus and £6 10/- per ton c.i.f. forward shipment. PALM KERNEL OIL—Liverpool makes attract only a limited amount of notice, but steady at £40 for crushed and £38 10/- per ton for extracted ex mills. COCOA NUT OIL without change at £40 per ton c.i.f. for Ceylon for arrival to Liverpool, but little demand experienced. PALM KERNELS steady but quiet; business reported at £18 10/- per ton April-June shipment. PALM OIL steady, but rather slow, and no sales recorded in any description. TALLOW—Rather more inquiry, and business done in South American Saladero Digester beefs at 37/9 per cwt. c.i.f. April-May shipment. DYEWOODS—Logwood and fustic without change on spot, but the demand is rather limited. GAMBIER—Block without quotable change at 32/6 on spot, and 28/6 to 29/- per cwt. for arrival c.i.f., and for cubes 40/- per cwt. still wanted for No. 1 quality. CUTCH is held for steady rates on spot, though trading only limited in character. GUM—Niger Arabic steadily maintained in value, with buyers on spot still showing some interest. RUBBER—Para quiet; hard fine spot 10½d. to 10⅝d. per lb. CASTOR OIL—English prices steady, but little doing; pharmacy quoted £58, firsts £53, and seconds £49 per ton ex mills Hull in barrels. Madras in barrel still at £44 per ton c.i.f. for shipment. Calcutta good seconds unchanged at 5¾d. per lb. forward shipment in cases ex quay Liverpool. SEED OILS—Liverpool makes of cottonseed steady but quiet at 44/6 for common edible, and 48/6 per cwt. deodorised net naked ex mills. Linseed firm, and still not quoted by local crushers. ROSIN steady for American types, with pale kinds still in limited supply. TURPENTINE steady; American unchanged at 76/- per cwt. on spot. PETROLEUM oils unaltered at 1/4 to 1/5 per gallon for American refined in barrels on spot. NITRATE OF SODA still in request, and spot holders firm at £15 2/6 to £15 5/- per ton, as in quality, in single bags.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.—TALLOW—Values maintained, and further trading reported in South American Saladero digester beefs at 37/9 per cwt. c.i.f.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR MARKET, Saturday.—Market closes very quiet, prices showing little alteration. Melted during week 5,216 tons, stock now 3,795. Quotations:—47/9 to 48/3 fine crystals, 47/6 fine granulated, 47/- ordinary, 31/- to 37/- yellows.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Monday.—American moderate inquiry. Brazilian quotation advanced 13 points. East India unchanged. Egyptian fair business. April 10.18d., May 10.19d., June 10.19d., July 10.21d., August 10.18d., September 10.15. Sales 7,000 bales. Imports 52,812 bales. Market steady.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN—Market developed weakness on pressure to sell, but offers were well absorbed, with prices on balance about 50/- per ton below the close of Friday last. Cash quoted £153 5/- to £153 10/-, three months £154 10/- to £155, settlement price £153 10/-. Sales 1,300 tons, cash done at £153 to £153 5/-, May dates £156 to £154 10/-, and three months £156 to £156 10/-, finally at £154 15/-. COPPER slightly easier on balance to the extent of about 5/- per ton, with fair trading; cash quoted £59 7/6 to £59 10/-, three months £60 2/6 to £60 5/-, settlement price £59 10/-. Sales 900 tons, cash at £59 7/6 to £59 10/-, three months £60 to £60 5/-. LEAD firmer. Sales 1,450 tons, April at £24 5/- to £24 10/-, May £23 17/6 to £24. SPELTER dearer. Sales 1,100 tons, April £27 5/- to £27 2/6, July £27 per ton. TINPLATES steady.

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UNIVERSITY NEWS.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND.

The Senate of the National University of Ireland met on Friday. Present:—Alexander Anderson, M.A., Vice-Chancellor of the University, in the chair; Denis J. Coffey, M.B., Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University; P. J. Merriman, M.A., Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University; Right Rev. Monsignor MacCaffrey, D.Ph., Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University, Maynooth; John W. Bacon, M.A.; Michael F. Cox, M.D.; Robert Donovan, B.A.; Louise Gavan Duffy, M.A.; Mary T. Hayden, M.A.; Rev. J. Hynes, B.D.; Seaghan P. MacEnri, M.A.; John MacNeill, B.A.; Henry C. McWeeney, M.A.; Daniel J. O'Connor, M.A.; Bartholomew O'Flynn, B.A.; William D. O'Kelly, M.D.; Alfred O'Rahilly, M.A.; Pattick Semple, M.A.; Thomas Walsh, M.A.; D. P. Fitzgerald, B.A.; Hugh Ryan, M.A.

Regrets for inability to attend the meeting were reported as having been received from Eamonn de Valera, B.A., Chancellor of the University; Sir Joseph McGrath, LL.D., Registrar of the University.

The Senate had under consideration the reports of the examiners on the spring medical examinations, 1922, and awarded passes, honours, etc., in connection therewith.

The Senate made the following appointments:—Cork Corporation Professorship of Irish Music, University College Cork, Mr. Carl Hardebeck. Professorship of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, University College, Dublin, Dr. Maurice R. J. Hayes, F.R.C.S.I.

Other business of a routine character having been transacted, the Senate adjourned.

INSURANCE INSTITUTE.

OFFICE-BEARERS FOR NEXT SESSION.

The annual meeting of the Insurance Institute of Ireland was held at the Astoria Café, 16 Dawson street, Dublin, on last Friday, when the following office-bearers were appointed for the session 1922-1923:—President—Mr. H. Bindon Blood, F.C.I.I. (London). Vice-Presidents—Messrs. W. Mills Forsyth, F.C.I.I. (Norwich Union); H. P. Haughton, A.C.I.I. (Sun Life), and M. H. Stokes (Commercial of Ireland).

Council—Miss V. Wells (Union), Messrs. H. C. Grenfell, F.C.I.I. (Commercial Union); W. P. Sherriff (Northern), W. Mills Forsyth, F.C.I.I. (Norwich Union); C. J. Macdougald (Fine Art), A. E. Dallas (Sun Life), C. W. Keely, A.C.I.I. (Commercial Union); W. A. Balbirnie (Car and General), G. W. Blackham, A.C.I.I. (Celtic); Percy Williams, A.C.I.I. (Royal); G. A. J. Pattison, F.C.I.I. (Royal Exchange); R. Torrance, F.C.I.I. (Atlas). Hon. Secretary—Mr. W. T. Clark (Commercial Union), 37 College Green. Hon. Treasurer—Mr. J. C. Wilkinson (Atlas), 39 Dawson street. Hon. Librarian—Mr. John Erskine (Phoenix), 10 Trinity street.

Mr. John MacCormack, the tenor, who has been seriously ill with a throat affection, expects to leave New York on May 2 to spend the summer in England and Ireland to recuperate.

ANDREW J. KEOGH'S SALES

AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,

FRIDAY NEXT, 28TH APRIL, 1922, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK SHARP.

THE WOODENBRIDGE HOTEL, COUNTY WICKLOW.

THE ABOVE WELL-KNOWN, FULLY-LICENSED HOTEL, situate amidst most Charming, Renowned and Attractive Surroundings, WITH THE FURNISHINGS AND FITTINGS, AS A GOING CONCERN, together with the LANDS attached, containing in all 37 ACRES 3 ROODS and 35 PERCHES, STATUTE, or thereabouts.

(By Directions of the Owners on Dissolution of Partnership.)

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This well-known Hostelry (distant about 150 yards from the Woodenbridge Railway Station, Dublin and South Eastern Railway) is most commodious, and comprises all that is adequate for a good class and profitable Hotel business. It is picturesquely situated in one of the most beautiful and historic districts in the County Wicklow, renowned for its scenery, attractions, and associations, well patronised by motorists, tourists, and week-end visitors.

The premises comprise drawingroom, diningroom, coffee and smoking room, lounge, select bar, office, 21 bedrooms; also staff apartments; large kitchen, with excellent 7ft. range; copper cylinder, bathrooms, w.c.'s, with modern sanitary fittings; gentleman's well-fitted lavatory on ground level. Adjoining the premises there is a spacious public bar, with bottling and storeroom, and to which a good trade is attached. The valuable furnishings and appointments, two pianos, plated ware, china, glass, linen, etc., will be included in the Sale. The Hotel is well lighted by an Acetylene Gas installation, suitably and conveniently placed.

The out-offices are extensive, and comprise garages, chauffeurs' apartments, huntsmen's rooms, laundry, stabling, coachhouses, and workmen's sleeping apartments.

From the pleasure grounds and garden attached to the Hotel a magnificent view of the famed VALE OF AVOCA may be obtained.

The Land, which is in possession of Vendors, is of good quality and well watered, being bounded by a river. Portion of the Lands, if not required for purchaser's use, could be let on remunerative terms.

This is a compact and valuable property, well and favourably known, and combines the advantage of a delightful home with an excellent business establishment.

On Sundays, during the summer months, the Railway Company is running an excursion train from Dublin and intermediate stations to Woodenbridge. A Golf Links adjoins the Hotel, and there is good Salmon Fishing in the vicinity.

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A compact Premises, comprising a well-equipped Bar and spacious Dwelling accommodation, lighted by electricity throughout. The Sale offers a very favourable opportunity to persons desirous of acquiring a business premises with good residence in a popular seaside district. The rail service to and from Skerries is much augmented during the summer and autumn seasons.

SALE TO-DAY (TUESDAY), AT 12 O'CLOCK,

RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, BILLIARD TABLE (8' x 4') BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT 139 LOWER BAGGOT STREET.

Comprising—Upright Piano, in walnut case, D'Almaine and Co.; Inlaid Rosewood Cabinet with sweep front; Four-fold Screen, with needlework panels; Pair Inlaid Mahogany Corner Cabinets, Ormolu Clock under shade, two Pairs of Tapestry Falls of superior quality, Chiming Timepiece in marble case, and two Marble Ornaments en suite; Chesterfield Couch, 5' 6"; Mahogany Dining Table, 8 x 4; Mahogany-framed Chairs, upholstered in h.c., Inlaid Mahogany Card Table, with folding top; Walnut Oval Loo Table, Inlaid Mahogany Bed, 4' 6"; B. and I. and Iron Bedsteads, Bordered Axminster Carpets, 15' 6" x 12' and 20' x 12'; Bordered Axminster Stair Carpeting, Pictures, and Miscellaneous Effects.

ANDREW J. KEOGH, AUCTIONEER.

10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY (TUESDAY), 25TH APRIL,

AT 1 O'CLOCK PRECISELY,

10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.

JAMES HILL & SON

WILL CONTINUE THE SALE BY AUCTION OF THE COLLECTION OF

USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PICTURES, PLATE, CHINA, GLASS, & ORNAMENTAL EFFECTS,

AS ALREADY ADVERTISED ON SATURDAY LAST.

Purchasers to pay Five per cent. Auction Fees.

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ON VIEW TO-DAY. SALE TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY).

DALKEY—BARONHILL, BARNHILL ROAD,

FURNITURE, CATTLE, GREENHOUSE, &c.

SALE BY AUCTION of A LARGE RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, including a number of pieces of old carved oak, comprising: muniment chests, cabinets, chairs, gate leg table, hall tables and chairs, sideboard, etc.; piano, in rosewood case, by Collard and Collard; easy and occasional chairs, sofas, glazed silver table, Nelson half-circle table, brass log box and coal vases, brass Benares tray; curtains, carpets, rugs, overmantels, dining table, set of 10 carved oak chairs, in Morocco leather; clocks, ornaments, bedsteads, mattresses, bedding, mahogany Duchesse pairs, wardrobes, and usual bedroom appointments; kitchen furniture, mangle, china, glass, hand-sewing machine, etc.; two milch cows, one ditto in calf, 4 calves, 12 hens; greenhouse, 14ft. x 9ft.; greenhouse plants, dairy utensils, wheeled water carrier, ladder, lawn mowers, dog kennels, etc. Sale Outdoor Effects, 12 o'c. Furniture, 12.30.

TALBOT COALL & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

SALE THIS DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK. SUTTON.

HAWNA, ST. FINTAN'S ROAD.

TO-DAY (TUESDAY), 25th APRIL.

AUCTION SALE OF SUPERIOR WELL-MADE MODERN FURNITURE, CARPETS, PIANO, etc., ALL IN BRIGHT, CLEAN CONDITION, and comprising briefly:—Modern Upright Brinsmead Grand Piano, iron frame, mah. case; Piano Seat; New Gramaphone and Records, Louis Drawingroom China Cabinet Overmantel and Tables; Chesterfield Couch, in silk tapestry, and Divan Easy Chairs; Carved Mah. and Pouffee Seats, Axminster Room and Stair Carpets and Rugs; Turkey Carpet, 14' x 11'; Brass Fenders, Brasses, and Coal Boxes; Mah. Hall Seat, Oak Hall Stand, Barometer, and 2 Antique Chairs in needlework; Curtains, Linoleums; fine Mah. Enclosed Mirror-back 7ft. Sideboard, Mah. 2-door Bookcase, Telescope Dinner Table and 6 Dining Chairs; Mah. and other Overmantels; Clocks, Plated Ware, Tantalus, Books, Table Glass and China; American Walnut, Oak and Stained Bedroom Suites, Mah. and Brass and Enamel Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding; Stretcher Bed and Reclining Chair Bed; Toilet Ware, Hanging Petrol and Oil Lamps; Kitchen Dresser, Mangle, Furniture, and Utensils; New Pennsylvania Lawn Mower, Hose and Reel, Wheelbarrow and Garden Tools; Dog Kennel, Water Barrels, Wire Netting, Galvanised Sheeting, 2 Long Ladders and Step Ladder, Petrol Tank; 12 Black Minorca Laying Fowl, etc. On View This Morning, 10 till 12. Sale To-day (Tuesday), 25th April, at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,

Auctioneers and Valuers,

17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

2 EARLSFORT TERRACE.

THURSDAY NEXT, 27th APRIL,

And following day at 12 o'clock sharp.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY SUPERIOR ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC. ALL IN BRIGHT CONDITION, comprising briefly:—ANTIQUE FURNITURE—Chippendale Slope-Front Secretary Bookcase; Falling-Front Bureau; Bow 8ft. Break-Front 4-Door Diamond Pane Bookcase; Tall 2-Door ditto; Mahog. Hall Chest, Carved Legs and Shell Ornament; Hall Bench; Chippendale Frustrum; Inlaid Hall Chairs, Nelson Grandfather Mahog. Hall Clock, with Barometer, etc.; Brass Inlaid Mahog. 6ft. Enclosed Pedestal Sideboard, Claw Feet; Mahog. 3-Tier Waiters; Nelson Falling-Leaf and Side Tables; Oval Pillar and Claw and Work Tables; Sheraton Taper-Leg Settee and Grandfather Easy Chair; Hepplewhite and other Chairs; Mahog. Circular P. and C. Writing Table; 3 Persian Rugs; Gilt Ornate and China French Figure Clock; Walnut Spanish Table; end of room Gilded Console Table and Mirror; Gentleman's carved Chippendale Wardrobe, Claw Feet, with Pair of Modern Chippendale Duchess Toilet Tables to match; Antique Chest of Drawers, enclosed Washstands and Toilet Glasses; Pierced Brass Fenders. OTHER FURNITURE AND EFFECTS include Mahog. Pedestal Writing Desk; Walnut Open and Revolving Bookcases; Hall and Umbrella Stands and Gong; 10ft. Telescope Dinner Table, 12 Mahog. Dining Chairs in Morocco; Dumb Waiters; Chesterfield and other Couches; Divan and Drawingroom Easy and Inlaid Occasional Chairs; Rosewood Sofa, and other Tables; Carton Pierre White Enamel China Cabinet; Ebon and Gilt Mirrored ditto; Mirrors; Music Canterbury; Oil Paintings, Water Colours and I.A.U. Engravings; Fine Wilton Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets; Rose Silk, Poplin, Plush and Lace Curtains; Copper Coal Boxes; Brass Standard Lamp; Lustres and Ornaments; Ash Bedroom Suite; Bedroom Furniture in Mahogany, Birch and Ash—Wardrobes and Linen Presses; Duchess Toilet Tables and Chests of Drawers; Walnut Shaving Stand; Toilet Glass; Mahog. Cheval Glass; Stretcher and Chair Beds; All Brass and B. and I. Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Blankets, and Eiderdowns; Dinner Furniture of 3 Maids Rooms; Linoleums; Dinner Service; Table Glass and China; Plated Dish Covers; Kitchen Mangle; Dresser; Furniture and Utensils; Knife Cleaner; Lawn Mower and Tools; Step Ladder; Fireproof Strong Box; Books, etc. On View TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), 26th APRIL, 10 till 5. SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 27th, and following day, at 12 o'clock sharp. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

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COUNTY OF MEATH.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF A COMPACT GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE,

WITH CONVENIENT-SIZED PADDOCK, GARDEN, OUT-OFFICES, ETC., ADJOINING THE TOWN OF KELLS.

JOSEPH LOWRY and SONS are favoured with instructions from George H. Fowler, Esq. (The Agent), to

SELL BY AUCTION,

AT THEIR OFFICES, HEADFORT PLACE, KELLS,

On MONDAY, 1st MAY, 1922,

At the hour of 12 o'clock (New Time),

All that and Those the Two-storey Dwellinghouse known as "Kenlis Cottage," with the garden, paddock, and out-offices adjoining, held in fee-simple. Poor Law Valuation, £32 15s. 0d.

The House contains 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, 2 servants' rooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery, w.c., bathroom, h. and c., etc. The out-offices consist of stabling for 3 horses and large garage.

A fruit and vegetable garden pleasure grounds, with tennis court and paddock containing in all about 4a. 0r. 18p., Statute Measure, adjoins the house.

The whole is in excellent repair.

The Auctioneers wish to draw special attention to this Sale, as it is rarely such a desirable home, so conveniently situated, is offered to the public. The blinds and gas fittings can be taken over by the purchaser at a valuation.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Messrs. WHITNEY, MOORE and KELLER, Solicitors, 46 Kildare street, Dublin; or to

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,

Auctioneers, Valuers, and Land Agents,

KELLS and NAVAN.

Kells, 15th April, 1922.

COUNTY OF MEATH. TOWN OF ATHBOY.

SALE OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES AND DWELLING-HOUSE.

WE are favoured with instructions by Mr. Richard V. Smyth, who is retiring from business, to SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY all that and those:

LOT 1—Valuable Business Premises as a going concern, held by the Vendor in Fee-simple, free of rent for ever, wherein a splendid Grocery, Hardware and General Provision Trade is at present carried on; and

LOT 2—Fine Two-storey Slated Dwelling-house, adjoining Lot 1; also held by the Vendor in Fee-simple, free of rent for ever.

PARTICULARS.

LOT 1—This is a two-storey building, consisting of shop, with large storeroom attached, kitchen, scullery, drawingroom, and three bedrooms. It is in excellent repair throughout. There is a good yard and garden at the rear. The out-offices consist of an oil store, large grain loft, coal house, and a large store house. They are all substantial stone-built structures, slated, and in good repair. A fine Grocery and Hardware business is carried on in the premises, and there is a good stock, which can be purchased at a valuation. The premises are situate in a splendid business centre, at the corner of Lower Bridge street and Railway street, beside the Fair Green, and within a few perches of the railway station.

LOT 2—This is a two-storey dwelling-house of modern structure, and is in good repair throughout. It contains a sittingroom, 4 bedrooms, lumber room, kitchen, and hall. There is also a yard at the rear, with a garden attached. The out-offices, which are stone-built and slated, are all in excellent condition.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

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"THE GROVE," NORTHBROOK ROAD, LEESON PARK.

DETACHED RESIDENCE ON ABOUT 1 ACRE. POSSESSION

Held under Lease dated 24th October, 1864, for a term of 999 years from 1st November, 1854, subject to the yearly rent of £59, but indemnified against £20 thereof by the premises known as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 Osborne terrace (in front), leaving "The Grove" liable to the yearly rent of £39.

Conditions of Sale may be had from H. McCARROLL, Solicitor, 35 Molesworth street.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. CHRISTOPHER BRIEN, DECEASED.

6, 8, AND 10 RUSSELL AVENUE, JONES'S ROAD.

Held under two leases. As to 6 and 8 for 250 years from 1897, subject to £5 per annum, and as to No. 10, for a term of 218 years from 1901, subject to the yearly rent of £3. Nos. 6 and 8 are let at 9/- weekly each, and No. 10 is let at 10/-. All punctual paying tenants.

P. M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green.

40 HOLLYBANK AVENUE, SANDFORD ROAD, RANELAGH.

Held under Lease for 999 years from 1st July, 1907, subject to the yearly rent of £4 10/-. CLEAR POSSESSION WILL BE GIVEN TO PURCHASER.

JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor, 58 Rutland square.

"PINE COTTAGE," BRAY (COTTAGE AND NEARLY 3 ACRES).

situated about mid-way between BRAY and GREYSTONES, held under a Judicial Tenancy at the yearly rent of £3, fixed by order dated 29th January, 1909, of the Civil Bill Court for County Wicklow. CLEAR POSSESSION WILL BE GIVEN TO PURCHASER. Keys with Auctioneers.

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16 TIVOLI TERRACE, NORTH, DUN LAOGHAIRE (LATE KINGSTOWN).

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

Held under lease dated 1st May, 1880, for a term of 99 years, subject to the low rent of £4 10/- per annum. Valuation £18. POSSESSION TO PURCHASER. Seen on Order from AUCTIONEERS.

N.B.—Portion of the purchase money may remain outstanding if desired.

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10 AND 11 PRUSSIA STREET, AND COW SHED AT REAR OF BOTH HOUSES.

This entire is held under fee farm, subject to £9 11/4 per annum.

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75 WATERLOO ROAD

(PEMBROKE URBAN DISTRICT),

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

PURSUANT TO THE ORDER OF THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF IRELAND

BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, WILL SELL, ON THE PREMISES, at 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

ON THURSDAY, THE 4TH OF MAY, 1922,

THE ABOVE ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE, which is held under a lease dated 5th June, 1845, from the Right Hon. Sidney Herbert, for a term of 150 years from 25th March, 1845, at an adjusted yearly rent of £51 17/6. Valuation £31. Immediate possession to the purchaser.

This very superior and compact House contains two sittingrooms, three bedrooms, dressingroom, and bathroom, hot and cold water; modern sanitary appointments; kitchen, pantries, and servants' rooms. The entire premises have been decorated and fitted with new firegrates and electric light within the past twelve months.

On View Monday, May 1st. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

For further particulars, Conditions of Sale and Permit to View apply to

ERNEST E. MERRICK, LL.D., Solicitor, 202 Great Brunswick street, Dublin; or

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED,

AUCTIONEERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

75 WATERLOO ROAD. ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE.

PURSUANT to the Order of the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, the 4th OF MAY, 1922, at 12.30 p.m., all the FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS of the above House, comprising—Antique Mahogany Circular Bookcase, do. Side Table, with Corinthian pillar supports; Oak Hall Chairs and Table, Rosewood Writing Table, Player Piano, in mahogany case; Inlaid China Cabinet, Overmantels, in carved and giltwood frames; Pair of Carved and Giltwood Corner Tables, Easy and Occasional Chairs, in mahogany and walnut; Rosewood Couch, Mahogany Circular Dining Tables, Antique Mahogany Armoire, with chased ormolu mounts; Axminster and Turkey Carpets and Rugs, etc., etc. The Furniture of three Bedrooms; Oil Paintings, Coloured Prints and Engravings; Antique Silver, Old Sheffield Plate, Oriental Porcelain, Bowls and Dishes, Dresden, Chelsea, Worcester, and Derby China. Further particulars in next advertisement. On View Wednesday, May 3rd. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

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BENNETT & SON, AUCTIONEERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

P. J. BYRNE'S SALES.

WEDNESDAY, THE 3RD MAY, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK,

AT 8 PARLIAMENT STREET.

ATTRACTIVE WELL-BUILT DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION,

"ROSELEA," BALLYBRACK, CO. DUBLIN

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IN PERFECT ORDER, AND READY FOR IMMEDIATE OCCUPATION.

Lease 99 years from 1900, subject to £2 14/9 yearly. Accommodation:—Entrance hall, 3 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c., w.c., tiled kitchen, scullery, pantry, boxroom; gate entrance for motor; also servants' entrance, w.c., coal house, tool house, etc. On View each day from 11 to 1 o'clock, and from 2 to 6 o'clock, on production of Card to View from the AUCTIONEER.

Conditions of Sale from R. H. MORRIS, Solicitor, 56 Westland row.

ELEVEN WELL-BUILT TWO-STOREY HOUSES,

NOS. 27 TO 37 PRIMROSE AVENUE, MOUNTJOY STREET,

WITH POSSESSION OF NO. 27 PRIMROSE AVENUE,

BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT 8 PARLIAMENT STREET,

ON WEDNESDAY, THE 3RD MAY, 1922, AT 1.30 O'C., IN 2 OR MORE LOTS.

LOT 1.—No. 27 Primrose avenue, with possession. Held under lease for 900 years from 1908, at the yearly rent of £2 15/-. Contains parlour, tiled kitchen, 2 bedrooms, small yard, w.c., and coal house.

LOT 2.—Nos. 28 to 37 Primrose avenue (similar to Lot 1), and held under lease for 900 years from 1908, subject to the yearly rent of £2 15/- each. Poor Law Valuation £9 10/- each. All let to good tenants, producing £273 per annum.

These Houses are exceptionally well built, in a convenient, ready letting district, and form a desirable and profitable investment.

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Charming Model Hats, in Crinoline, trimmed dainty picquet ribbon and flowers to tone, from 2 guineas.

Exceedingly smart Hats in fine hair cloth, trimmed cire ribbon and flowers on brim, black, nigger, mole, navy, Havana, 39/11.

A large assortment of Panama Hats, in various shapes, from 6/11.

Folding Panamas and Felts from 4/11.

Exceptional value in Marabout Capes and Wrap Stoles. Colours—Smoke, nigger, and black, from 15/11 to 4 guineas.

Graceful Hat (as sketch) in pedal and tagel straw, trimmed broad satin ribbon; also tinsel ribbon and flowers, from 12/11.

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WEDNESDAY NEXT, IMPORTANT AUCTION AT THE GARAGE, DELGANY.

On WEDNESDAY, 26th APRIL, 1922.

THE Property of the late Miss D. Chapman, Manor House, Delgany, and others, consisting of Valuable and Useful INDOOR and OUTDOOR EFFECTS,

Which includes:—Mahogany Tables, Chairs, Sofas; Axminster Carpet, 15ft. by 10ft. 2in.; Brussels, 16ft. by 11ft.; and several Rugs, etc.; Lino, Writing Table, Writing Bureau, Armchairs, Pictures, Bagatelle Table, complete (as new); Old Ornaments; Small Organ, by Endsleigh; Table Linen, Queen Anne Wine Glasses, Knives, Forks, Old Worcester; Royal Worcester, Dessert Service, 26 pieces; Wedgwood Candlesticks; odd Dinner Ware; Tea Services; 2 Wardrobes (mirrored); Dressing Tables; Washstands and Ware; Hair Mattresses; Beds and Bedding; Baby's Cot, complete; Baby's Scales; Blankets, Sheets, Quilts, etc.; Daisy Vacuum Cleaner, as new; Kitchen Dresser; Kitchen Tables, Perfection Stove (2 lamps); Oval Pots, Saucepans, Scales, Pans, Delph, Pot Stands; Kitchen Clocks; Bread Crocks, Trays, Baskets, etc.

OUTDOOR—Gent.'s Cycle; Victoria, rubber tyred, fit 14 to 15 hands; Wheelbarrows; Ladder, 20ft.; 2 Stepladders; Pennsylvania Lawn Mower; Garden Roller (water ballast); Tennis Nets; Garden Tent; Flowers; 2 Coal Stoves; Flower Pots; Tools; Pony Lawn Mower; Trunks; Waterproof Driving Rugs and Sheets; Scythes, etc., etc., etc.

On View morning of Sale. Sale at 1 p.m. sharp. Admission to Sale 1/-, refundable to purchaser. Terms—5 per cent. and Cash.

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During the year 1921 FOURTEEN Pupils gained Bank Clerkships, EIGHT secured Sizarships (Mathematics, Science, and Classics), and NINE Junior Exhibitions in Trinity College.

The money value of Exhibitions, etc., gained in 1921, direct from the School, exceeds £2,120; and for the past sixteen years the total exceeds £26,390.

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Lists of successes and full particulars from the Headmaster,

REV. WILLIAM ANDERSON.

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FURNITURE AUCTION,

TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), AT 12 O'CLOCK,

LEIGHTON LODGE, RATHFARNHAM.

Including: Drawingroom Suite, comprising Sofa, 2 Small Arm, 2 Tub, and 4 Occasional Chairs, in walnut frames, upholstered in silk tapestry; 6 Mahogany-framed Dining Chairs, in Morocco; Stained Wood Dining Table, Walnut Cabinet Sideboard, Enclosed Mahogany Bookcase, with Press under; elaborately Carved Satin Wood Bridge Table; 2 first quality Axminster Carpets, Brussels Carpet; Stained Wood 2-Slab Marquetry Pattern Table and Chair, Walnut Overmantel, 2 Wicker Arm Chairs, Walnut Suite; Brass and Double Bed, Single Iron Bed, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Bedding; Oak Hall Mirror, do. Hall Chair and Stick Stand, Satin Walnut Jardiniere Stand; Lino, Marble Clock, Brocade and other Curtains; Table Glass, Tea Service and other Plated Goods; Table Glass and China, Tea Service, Bamboo Afternoon Tea Table, Suspension and other Lamps; Joiner's Lathe and very complete Set of Carpenter's Tools (over 100 tools), Carpenter's Bench, with Vice; Primus Stoves, Daisy Vacuum Cleaner; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Meat Safe, Automatic Washing Machine and Mangle; 2 Garden Frames and Lights, Garden Roller, Patent Cinder Sifter, Garden Seat, Miscellaneous Garden Tools, etc.

On View Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock.

To prevent overcrowding a charge of 6d. will be made for admission.

PROPERTY AUCTION,

ON THURSDAY NEXT, AT 1.15 O'CLOCK, AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET,

KIRKVILLE, ACOURT LODGE, AND SURREY LODGE, STRAND ROAD, MERRION.

LOT 1—"Kirkville," 145 Strand road, with early possession, solidly-built detached, double-fronted, and containing double drawingroom, with folding doors; diningroom, breakfast room, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, pantries; motor house, man's room, tennis ground; fruit garden, etc. Held under lease from 1869 for 99 years, at £10; P.L.V., £49. Seen on orders from the Auctioneers each afternoon.

LOT 2—"Acourt Lodge," 149 Strand road, Merrion, with immediate possession, a Double-fronted, Detached Cottage-style House, containing 7 rooms, bathroom; excellent stabling or motor house, and good garden. Held under lease for 99 years from 1862, at £18, with other houses, but sold subject to £5 thereof. P.L.V., £34.

LOT 3—"Surrey Lodge," 151 Strand road, Merrion, let to Mr. Frank O'Hanlon, from 1916 on yearly tenancy at £70 10s. 3d. per annum. P.L.V., £23. Held under lease for 99 years from 1862, with other houses, at £18, but sold subject to £5 thereof. Conditions of Sale from

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Order to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

5 WOLSELEY STREET, S.C.R.

A Modern Style House, well built on stone foundations, and containing 2 reception rooms, bright kitchen, scullery, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, separate w.c., garden, small motor house, with gate entrance. The House can be inspected daily. Held for 500 years from 1898 at £3 15s. per annum. P. L. Valuation, £16.

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2 PEARFIELD, BLACKROCK.

An exceptionally advantageously situated House, being one of four houses, in a secluded and private position, and yet within easy walking distance of the tram. Immediate possession to purchaser.

A Double-fronted House, in excellent structural repair, and containing 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's accommodation, kitchen and pantry, bath (with hot and cold supply), copper cylinder. Large-sized garden goes with this House.

Head rent, £7, under lease 86 years unexpired. P. L. Valuation, £30.

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PARKMORE, 42 ASHDALE RD., TERENURE.

A very well-built Modern Style House, well situated, with open fields at rear; drawingroom, diningroom, 4 large bedrooms, maid's room; hot bath, 2 w.c.'s, tiled kitchen, wash-house; garden. Held for 999 years at £4 6s. per annum. P. L. Valuation, £32.

The purchaser will get immediate possession. The House can be seen by arrangement with the AUCTIONEERS.

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DOCKRELL LIMITED,

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